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The barometer is falling on the Coast and showers may spread inland. Showers are reported in Northern Alberta and parts of Manitoba.

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COMMUNISTS BRAND BOTH CONVERTS AND CAPTIVES IN CHINA

With Searing Hot Irons, Reds Burn Sickle of Communism Deep Into the Hearts of Members of Armies Whose Loyalty Is Suspected—Peasants Forced to Join Ranks

Nationalists Meet Challenge Of Foes With Many Executions

(Associated Press)

HANKOW, Aug. 23.—With searing hot irons, Reds today burned the sickle of Communism deep into the hearts of converts and captives in Hunan Province and in several areas continued their efforts to overthrow the Nationalist Government. The challenge was met with wholesale executions. Many Chinese arriving with burned and bleeding chests, said all members of Red Armies whose loyalty to Communism was suspected were being branded to render them easily identified in case of desertion. Leaders of Communist armies, despoiling the country, forced terrified peasants and townspeople to join their ranks and, to compel loyalty, used the branding-iron, threatening death to deserters.

Continuing executions of Communists suspected of aiding the Red Army which recently threatened Hankow, Nationalist soldiers shot eighteen Reds as a warning against treason. The men were shot in the presence of a huge crowd.

Further executions seemed probable in Nanking, Government capital, as the authorities rounded up scores of Reds suspected of the plot to dynamite Government buildings and seize control. Nationalist soldiers, bursting down pickets, arrested 180, smashed Communist meeting places and seized large quantities of inciting propaganda.

In Canton, another Government stronghold, Communists used underlining tactics and won many adherents at the police training school. The authorities executed seven Reds and held two score others for trial.

THE NANKING ARMY

SHANGHAI, Aug. 23.—Nanking intends to follow up its successes along the Tientsin-Pukow Railroad and is advancing on Tientsin in the hope of eradicating the scattered armies of General Yen Hsi-Shan, Commander-in-Chief of the Northern Military Alliance, according to reliable information received here.

The Government is reversing its tactics of 1927. Hoping that Tientsin will fall by internal dissensions before General Chiang Kai-Shek's Nationalist forces get within striking distance of the city, it is depending upon pale clothes corps, believed to be under cover in French and Japanese concessions, to create enough disturbances in the rear of the Northern armies to insure capture without actual fighting. Nanking is most eager to avoid foreign complications arising from damage to foreign properties within the concessions.

It is reported General Yen is in an unenviable position. Of the army of 40,000 which was under his command, less than half managed to recross the Yellow River when the Nationalists entered Tsinan. Over 3,000 of General Yen's troops made at Tsian and other Chinese cities within Nanking's control, while General Chiang expects to ferret out shortly.

NO ELECTIONS EXPECTED FOR NEW CABINET

Nomination Day Tomorrow for Ministry Members in Fifteen Constituencies

HON. H. H. STEVENS MAY NOT HAVE OPPOSITION

OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—Canada's capital city today is politically deserted. Of all the members of the Cabinet, only Sir George Perley, Acting Prime Minister, is in the city.

Premier R. B. Bennett and fourteen of his newly created ministers are back in their constituencies for nomination day on Monday.

HON. H. H. STEVENS

With the possible exception of Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, acclamations in all instances are expected. Latest advices, too, indicate that Mr. Stevens, in opposition to whom an

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From the Colonist Tower

Sunday, August 24

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate east and south winds; partly cloudy, with local showers.

Sun Rises: 5.16 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 7.18 o'clock.

High Tide: 6.59 a.m., 8.2 ft.
Low Tide: 6.37 a.m., 1.1 ft.

Girl of Thirteen Rescues Drowning Swimmer in North

PRINCE Rupert, Aug 23.—Vivian Wrethall, aged thirteen, whose home is here, swam to the rescue of V. Houston, a man who had gone down beyond his depth while bathing at Salt Lake. The child helped him to a log, to which he clung until rescued. The girl is a daughter of W. W. Wrathall.

BROMLEY PLANS TO START UPON HOP THIS WEEK

Makes Final Preparations for Nonstop Crossing of Pacific Ocean

By A. W. FLEMMING
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TOKIO, Aug. 23.—Lieut. Harold L. Bromley and his navigator, Martin Cheltry, are making final preparations for their projected nonstop transpacific plane flight from the Asian Coast to Tacoma, Wash. Lieut. Bromley said today he would not start the ocean flight before Tuesday, and that a take-off Wednesday or Thursday would be more likely. The test hop will probably be made Monday.

Lieut. Bromley is waiting for a comfortably mild wind which will permit his reaching Kamchatka, Siberian Peninsula, more than 1,000 miles north of Tokio, below the spring sea, within twenty-four hours. Thereafter the weather will determine his course.

Japanese authorities at the Yokosuka naval base have issued instructions covering the specific route the aviators must follow northward along the Japan coast and also warning them not to carry bombs, cameras or firearms. A naval guard will escort the American machine during the first five hours after its departure.

A public farewell was given the flyers at a meeting last night in Hibiya Park, in the centre of Tokio, attended by several thousand persons. Mayor Hide[illegible] Nagata presented them with a message for delivery to the mayor of Tacoma and the newspaper Asahi Shimbun handed over messages addressed to President Hoover, the Governor of Washington and the Tacoma mayor. The American Chargé d'Affaires spoke both flyers replying briefly.

Daily is keeping in close touch with the Central Meteorological Observatory.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug 23.—Because a heavy south wind made the take-off too difficult, Tex and Dick Rankin, Pacific Coast aviators, announced today their attempt to break the world's endurance flight record has been postponed until 2 p.m. tomorrow. They had expected to go aloft this afternoon.

Subscription List Opened For Dependents of Those Killed at Blakeburn Mine

When, with awful suddenness, death struck down forty-five miners in the black depths of the coal mine at Blakeburn, British Columbia, was horror-stricken. The terrible nature of the disaster which shut off any effectual means of escape, and the futile efforts of rescue parties to break their way into the colliery workings to succor their comrades, aroused the sympathy of every person in the province.

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Twenty-eight of the men who died under the mountain top at Blakeburn were married, and the sixteen of the families reside at Princeton, in the citizens of British Columbia. True, there will be Workmen's Compensation, but "there is real need for assistance," says Mr. Wagenhauser, who adds, "compensation provides a regular income sufficient to permit the wid-

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Club Honors President

Photograph by Postell.

MEMBERS of the Colwood Golf and Country Club will do honor to Joseph A. Sayward, who has been president of the popular club since its formation in 1914, when on Friday evening they will present a fine portrait of him to the club. Sir Frank Barnard will officiate at the presentation. The picture will replace a former painting of Mr. Sayward that was destroyed when the clubhouse was burned. The new picture is from the brush of George H. Southwell, a British artist now residing in Victoria. It is considered to be an excellent likeness of Mr. Sayward and will form a decided attraction to the fine interior of the clubhouse.

British Columbia Wins Long Battle Over Indian Lands

Immense Areas in Fertile Parts of Province Will Revert to Government When Indian Reserves No Longer Are Required

FULL revisionary rights to all Indian lands in the Province have been vested in the Province, under an arrangement negotiated with the Dominion Government recently, and made part of the transaction whereby lands in the Railway Belt and the Peace River Block have become the property of British Columbia. It was learned at the Parliament Buildings yesterday. Satisfaction is felt at the successful outcome of negotiations that have been under way affecting a controversy, that goes back twenty-five years, over the future of Indian reserves.

The Dominion Government in the past claimed ownership of any land which had been used for Indian reserve purposes and which had ceased to be so used. The Province maintained that such lands were placed under the control of the Dominion Government only for the purpose for which they were used, and the Dominion abandons all claim to Indian lands that may revert in this way.

ON FERTILE LANDS

The importance of the transaction in regard to future possibilities is great, as Indians in many places hold the best of the land within the fertile areas of the Province. As their numbers decrease their descendants continue to occupy very large tracts, once used by populous tribes.

Areas in Esquimalt, Saanich, Cowichan, and generally throughout the Province, now used as Indian reserves, will some day revert to the Province, and become available for settlement. The present day value of the lands is impossible and the future possibilities enormous, particularly where reserves are adjacent to growing settlements.

Credit for extremely able work in establishing British Columbia rights to all reverted Indian lands is being given to Henry Cathcart, Deputy Minister of Lands, whose personal knowledge of the history of the Railway Belt and Peace River Block controversy also was of the greatest assistance to the negotiations. Owen C. Ross, K.C., Deputy Attorney-General, with Mr. Cathcart, presented the British Columbia case at Ottawa recently.

BRITAIN RAPS LEAGUE BODY FOR FINDINGS

Commission Expected to Place Responsibility for Riots on Authorities

WILL LAUNCH REBUTTAL IN WAILING WALL CASE

Say Investigators Relied on Prejudiced Sources for Information

By CARROLL BINDER
(Copyright, 1930, by The Chicago Daily News Foreign Service.)

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Great Britain today formally made counter-attack upon the League of Nations Mandate Commission, which on Monday is expected to place the responsibility for the Wailing Wall outbreak in Palestine last August upon the British authorities.

Contents of the reports of the mandate commissioners, expected for release on Monday, are carried by several newspapers today with a vigorous British rebuttal. It is also announced that Colonial Undersecretary Drummond Shiels will criticize the league report at the Council meeting on September 4.

The league investigators accordingly to the British forecast, will declare that "partial inaction of the mandatory power as regards the obligations to the Palestinian populations, both Arab and Jewish, in the fundamental cause of the friction which ultimately culminated in the serious disorder of August, 1929."

COMMISSIONERS' CLAIM

The commissioners claim that the Wailing Wall outbreak was preceded by premonitory incidents which should have prompted Great Britain to increase its forces for preserving peace. The report suggests that the British have not fulfilled all the provisions of the mandate and perhaps leave the Zionist movement to assume undue proportions, according to the British rebuttal.

The British formally reply that the Mandates Commission knew the strength of the British forces in Palestine and was familiar with the racial composition of the native population. Moreover, the report of

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"Up Here," Message Chalked on Timber By Doomed Miners

Eleven Bodies Found Behind Hastily Erected Barricade in Blakeburn Mine—Inscription Written on Railroad Tie Leads to Discovery—Eight Still Missing in Colliery

Ralph Hale Led Companions in Efforts

CALMONT, Aug. 23.—"Up here!" These two words and an arrow chalked on a timber in the death-laden No. 4 slope of the Blakeburn mine said to those who came across them today a grim and tragic story of men who had fought for their lives when, on August 13, an explosion wrecked the interior of the colliery and trapped all but one of the

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FLYER RISKS OWN LIFE TO SAVE OTHERS

Stunt Pilot Crashes Plane to Prevent Imperiled Spectators Being Injured

CRAWLS FROM WRECK WITH ONLY BRUISES

CURTISS REYNOLDS AIRPORT, CHICAGO, Aug 23.—A flyer who chose to imperil himself rather than endanger the lives of massed spectators, lent a touch of breathtaking drama today to the opening of the tenth national air race.

He was Frits Loose, Germany's leading stunt pilot. His Junkers plane stalled, then crashed after he had maneuvered it so that imperiled spectators and a score of pilots were saved from possible injury. Loose received only minor hurts.

Loose had taken off at the east end of the field. As he reached the west end at a low altitude the motor of his plane stopped. He faced the prospect of crashing into bleachers, striking a squadron of civilian planes, or smashing his own ship. He chose the latter and wheeled in a quick turn, the right wing of the ship ploughing into the ground.

Bruised and fearful, he crawled from the wreckage and directed workers in removing it. Race officials endeavored to placate his grief by announcing they would obtain another plane for him to fly during the races.

The first racing event of the programme over a thirty-mile course for planes with 1,000 cubic inches displacement was won by Jimmy Haislip, of St. Louis, in a Travelair. His time being 9:46 and his average speed 183.38 miles per hour.

Speed Holman, of St. Paul, was second in 10.22, and B. O. Howard, of St. Louis, in 11:08.

Three Persons Killed When Plane Explodes

SHEBOYGAN, Wis Aug. 23.—Three men were killed today in an airplane crash two miles south of here when their plane exploded as it was doing a wing over, and crashed 1,000 feet to the ground.

Paid Admissions at Willows Exhibition Attain High Figure

Daily Attendance Exceeds Last Year on Every Day Except Saturday—Final Day Fails to Create a New Record—Officials Are Satisfied With Showing

New Buildings Are Planned for 1931

PAID admissions at the Exhibition Saturday reached a total of 3,724, but failed to equal the figures of Saturday a year ago, when the total paid admissions soared to over 6,000. Attendances on every day of the week, except yesterday, were greater than the same days of last year. The attendance for 1930 week are given as 33,305, or 3,180 short of a record.

W. H. Mearns, secretary, in announcing the day's figures yesterday, "In spite of the fact that we failed to set a new record the officials are well satisfied with the showing. We had hopes of bettering last year's figure, but Saturday let us down. However, we have a new record in the number of exhibitors, and that, in my opinion, is as good if not better, than a record attendance.

Due to the splendid organization and supervision of all departments of the big undertaking every detail in connection with the exhibition was carried out without a hitch. Every programme was run off according to prearranged schedule and exhibitors and visitors alike were given courtesy attention. Throughout yesterday the officials of the Fair received scores of complimentary expressions on the manner in which the exhibition had been conducted. Residents from the American side more numerous this year than ever last, were accorded a welcome which sent them back to their own country with feelings with their reception and treatment during their week's stay in Victoria.

NEED NEW BUILDINGS

From the opening day last Monday until the last night, pleasure were given a full week of pleasure and education. Members of the association feel they have given the best show in years. At the annual meeting of the association Friday night the feeling of success was apparent in all members and they are looking forward confidently to new developments during the coming year. The lack of space in the main buildings, which forced several exhibitors to erect temporary quarters outside in order to demonstrate their products, is expected to be overcome before the opening of the 1931 Fair. It is proposed to erect two more main buildings

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Wins Championship at Empire Games

PERCY WILLIAMS

Won the 100 yards dash at Hamilton on Saturday, thus the fastest of the Empire. He pulled up with a strained muscle which has kept him off the track for some weeks.

UNIQUE CHARGE IS LAID AGAINST RAILROAD MAN

Woman's Injury in Train by Rifle Shot Leads to His Arrest

ELECTS SPEEDY TRIAL IN MAINLAND COURT

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 23.—Facing a charge of firing a rifle at a train and wounding a woman passenger, Harold Jazzes Henzon, railway worker of North Bend, elected for speedy trial when he appeared before Judge F. W. Howay in County Court yesterday afternoon. He was arraigned on August 29.

The unique charge is based on the theory of criminal negligence, police allege. The woman, Mrs. Ford, when the train was in full sight and known to be in the line of fire. The incident happened on the night of July 28 and the train was well lighted from end to end.

According to Crown evidence, the C.P.R. train was passing mile 18.5, near Stout and Saddle Rock and not far from North Bend, when a bullet came through the observation car window, wounding Mrs. Robert Campbell, Washington, in the arm. Splinters hit two men nearby. Mrs. Campbell required treatment at Kamloops hospital. A 30-30 bullet was cut out of the woodwork, and it was judged the shot had come from across the river.

FORMER RULER OF EGYPT MAY SEEK THRONE

Reports Say Exiled Khedive Is Ready to Return If Summoned

WAS DEPOSED WHEN HE SUPPORTED TURKS

CAIRO, Egypt, Aug. 23.—Abbas Hilmi II, the former Khedive of Egypt, who is now in exile at Alexandria, is said to be ready to return into the country's political disputes.

Word has been received from him that he is ready to return to the throne if the Nationalists, now opposing King Fuad, should summon him.

Abbas Hilmi is the grandson of the ruler who caused Egypt to go to bankruptcy, causing the famous Arabi Pasha rebellion. He in turn brought about the British bombardment of Alexandria, the Battle of Tel-el-Kebir and the occupation of Egypt.

At the outbreak of the Great War Abbas Hilmi supported the Turks against Britain and was deposed.

The Nationalist party, which the exiled ex-Khedive today supports, is the party whose extremists demands on behalf of Egypt recently led to the breakdown of the London negotiations for an Anglo-Egyptian treaty.

When King Fuad of Egypt refused to yield to domestic demands by the Nationalist Government, though supported by a Parliamentary majority its members resigned. King Fuad is now ruling without a Parliament and with an emergency ministry under Sidky Pasha's dictatorship.

Nationalist riots led to loss of life and two British battleships were sent to Egypt as a reminder that foreign lives must not be endangered.

Tests for Dirigibles Announced

OTTAWA, Aug 23.—Commercial possibilities of the British dirigibles will be tested in a series of flights between England and Egypt this Winter, according to Sir John F. A. Higgins, of the British Air Ministry, who is in Ottawa.

The durability of the R-100 was amply demonstrated in the flight to Canada, he said, but data on cost of operation a regular service must be obtained.

Sir John's trip is in the nature of a holiday, he said. He will visit the airport at St. Hubert before returning overseas and expects a make a short trip to Toronto.

EXPECTS TO SHIP MANY LIVE CATTLE

New Minister of Agriculture Announces Plan for Marketing in Britain

DISPOSAL OF 15,000 HEAD IS OBJECTIVE

Arrangements to Be Discussed at Meeting With Officials Are Satisfied - Rancher at Regina

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Aug. 23.—The Department of Agriculture hopes to find a market for 15,000 head of Canadian cattle in Britain this year and arrangements are proceeding for their shipment to the Old Country, Hon. Robert Weir, newly-appointed Minister of Agriculture in the Federal Government, declared here last night at a banquet at which he was the guest of honor of the local board of trade and agricultural society.

Mr. Weir revealed a conference attended by the most prominent individual ranchers in Saskatchewan and Alberta, to lay plans for the resumption of Canadian exports of livestock to Great Britain.

OFFER AS GOOD

On investigation, Mr. Weir stated he found it had not for a long time since live cattle had been shipped to the Old Country and that there were few boats equipped to handle this type of business. Deeper revealed there were only two, the property of the Manchester Line. This company, the Minister of Agriculture stated, had agreed to place four boats in service by the first week in September and transport 9,000 head of cattle to Great Britain at $15 per head. It has tentatively been arranged with the Donaldson Line, Mr. Weir stated, to make necessary alterations to some of its ships if it is assured of the shipment of at least 5,000 head of cattle this Fall, and it may be prepared to handle a greater number.

WILL DISCUSS PLANS

The conference in Regina will be for the purpose of discussing the question of livestock exports, including the amounts available for export and the making of plans for feeding to accomplish the export. Mr. Weir referred to the ultimate hope that there are at least 15,000 head of cattle available for export to Great Britain from Canada this year.

SHIPWRECKED CREW RESCUED IN HURRICANE

Vernon City Saved Lives of Eleven Japanese Sailors in Storm Off Korea

VESSEL IS NAMED IN HONOR OF B.C. TOWN

VANCOUVER, Aug. 23.—A splendid deed of seamanship was performed by Captain W. E. Harris, of the Reardon Smith Line Ss. Vernon City on her present voyage here

The National

Children's Shoe Sale

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SHOWERS BRING LULL IN FIRES

Hazardous Conditions Continue in Two Districts, Rangers Report

LOSS IS LESS IN 1930

Improvement in forest fire conditions in three districts in the province is noted in the weekly report by P. Z. Caverhill, Chief Forester, issued yesterday. In the Cariboo, Kamloops and Southern Interior forest districts hazards lessened through showers, but are said to continue throughout other districts in the province.

Total fires reported from the first of the season have grown to 1,621, compared with 1,564 at this time last year. Officials believe that while the total number of fires is greater this year to date, the loss will be less, due to effectual fire-fighting. Few fires of large proportions were allowed to get out of control.

By districts, 129 fires were recorded in the Cariboo; at Kamloops, 119; Southern Interior, 643; Prince George, 207; Prince Rupert, 155; and Vancouver, 368 fires. Conditions at Prince George and Prince Rupert are still hazardous.

Damage to the bridge of the Canadian National Railways at the Kapoor mill was repaired this week, and service by gas car was reopened.

SHIPWRECKED CREW RESCUED IN HURRICANE

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tossed his own big ship like a cork, decided to attempt the rescue with his own vessel. After several trials, he was able to drift his ship close enough to the wreck to give it a lee under his vessel. With lines from the deck of the Vernon City, the seamen hauled the eleven Japanese aboard.

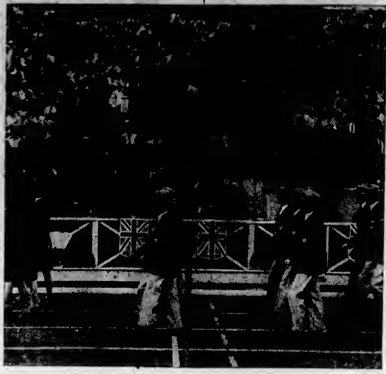
The captain wirelessed Hakodate that he had the shipwrecked men on board, and port authorities sent a vessel out to intercept him as he passed that port. The storm had subsided and the men were transferred without difficulty.

B.C. CITY GODFATHER

The ship is now at New Westminster, making her second visit to the port. On her maiden voyage she went there, and was welcomed by the mayor and council of the city of Vernon, in whose honor the vessel was named. Captain Harris at that time announced that his youngest son had been born the day the ship reached New Westminster, and was to be named Vernon. The Mayor of Vernon asked that the city be given the right of acting as godfather to the boy.

Today, wires were exchanged between the skipper and the mayor, and it is understood a reunion is to be staged while the vessel is on the river.

Athletes Reviewed at Empire Games



THE athletic contingent from Great Britain passing Viscount Willingdon at the reviewing stand when the British Empire Games commenced at Hamilton on Saturday, August 16. With the Governor-General can be seen E. W. Beatty, Premier Bennett and Premier Ferguson of Ontario. The games concluded yesterday.

PAID ADMISSIONS AT WILLOWS EXHIBITION ATTAIN HIGH RECORD

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ings in the space used this year for the parking of autos, at a cost of between $75,000 and $100,000, the city to bear half the cost and the Provincial Government to provide half the sinking fund and interest on the investment. Mayor Anscomb has announced that a by-law, to authorize the expenditure will be submitted to the ratepayers at the coming municipal elections.

It is the intention to commence work on the buildings as soon as the by-law is approved by the electorate. By an early start on the work the council hopes to provide work for some of the men who may be out of work during the coming Winter season. With the buildings complete in time for the next Fair the officials believe that the wants of the manufacturers and other exhibitors will be well taken care of. Other improvements are being considered and plans of the projected betterments to the grounds may be expected at the next general meeting of the members of the association, to take place next month.

LIVESTOCK TO FORE

A review of the week's activities at the grounds would indicate that the livestock section this year provided more widespread interest than any of the other branches, partly, it is said, because of the outside competition and mainly because there is a growing feeling in the farming community that cattle breeding is a most profitable venture and one particularly suited to this section of the country. It is doubtful if a finer collection of livestock has even been placed under one roof in the province.

Prior to the closing hour W. H. Mearns, business manager and general secretary of the Fair, expressed his thanks to exhibitors, patrons, judges, attendants and all those who assisted him in making the fair the success it was. "We are very much pleased at the showing this year and, although the Fair is over as far as the patrons are concerned, we will start right away getting ready for next year. We have a strong official body and some new members on the advisory board and we shall be all working towards the one end—to make the Victoria annual Fair the standard of the Pacific Coast. We are well on our way to that goal already," Mr. Mearns said.

The final event of the Fair was completed yesterday afternoon with awards in the finals of the six-horse team driving contest. The results were: First, A. C. Ruby, Portland, Ore.; second, Mainland Transfer, Vancouver, and third, D. P. Burge, of Albany, Oregon, the first and third going to American points. All teams entered made a fine showing and it took the judges some time to come to their final decisions.

LEAVING FOR HOME

Shortly after 6 o'clock last night the exodus of exhibitors from the grounds commenced. The livestock building was a hive of activity as huge moving vans moved out with their loads of prize animals bound for their home stables, some to await other exhibitions and others to go into Fall and Winter quarters. In the poultry and rabbit buildings exhibitors took charge of their individual pens and removed their charges from their homes of the past week and by the closing hour the buildings were practically empty.

As the hour of closing approached preparations for moving out were under way in the main buildings and by midnight the midways and riding devices were being prepared for loading out and the grounds had the appearance of a deserted village. A few officials lingered to see that everything was shipshape and to take care of the odd straggler looking for transport orders. On Monday a party of workers will start cleaning up and buildings will then be cleaned and looked to await the opening of the 1931 show.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST OPENED FOR FAMILIES OF EXPLOSION VICTIMS

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ows and orphans to have a fair opportunity in life."

Times have been slack in the coal mines of British Columbia, and hardly a single household had a nest egg put by for the future, while, it is asserted after investigation, of the forty-five men who died, only two or three carried small insurance policies.

Newspapers in the important centres of the province have been asked to open subscription lists, and The Colonist is glad to be of service in this respect. Contributions to the fund may be made to The Colonist, and will be acknowledged.

The City of New Westminster has voted $250 towards the fund, which, it is said, should be at least $40,000 to be of real service.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor R. Randolph Bruce has wired to Mr. Wagenhauser as follows:

"I cannot too highly commend the widespread solicitude on behalf of the bereaved families at Blakeburn. Your proposed action, and that of the five Coast papers in opening a relief fund will, I am sure, receive the sympathy and support of the whole province."

$400,000 Waterworks Measure Is Approved

RICHMOND, Aug. 23.—Richmond's $400,000 waterworks by-law was passed today by a vote of 397 to 79. A three-fifths majority vote only was needed to carry the by-law.

The by-law was prepared by the council to authorize an issue of $400,000 twenty-five year 5 per cent bonds to finance the completion of the municipal water distribution system.

The electors during the past three years had approved of by-laws aggregating $175,000 to replace old wooden mains which recently have caused considerable loss of water and expense by leakages. About sixty-four miles of these mains remain to be replaced and the $400,000 by-law was designed to enable the council to complete the distribution system with modern steel water pipe.

ND ELECTION EXPECTED FOR NEW CABINET

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Independent announced two weeks ago he would run, may be returned with an acclamation in Kootenay East.

In the case of Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Fisheries, election writs calling for a by-election in Richmond-West Cape Breton, with nomination day on September 2 and polling day on September 8, were issued this morning. But Mr. Rhodes also is absent in the Maritimes. No opposition is expected to his election in that constituency.

IN FIFTEEN RIDINGS

Constituencies in which members of the Cabinet will be nominated for re-election on Monday next are:

Hon. R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister, President of the Privy Council, Secretary of State for External Affairs and Minister of Finance—Calgary West.

Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice and Attorney-General—South Wellington.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce—Kootenay West.

Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals—Fort William.

Hon. E. B. Ryckman, Minister of National Revenue—Toronto East.

Hon. Arthur Sauve, Postmaster-General—Laval-Two Mountains.

Hon. Murray McLaren, Minister of Pensions and National Health—Saint John-Albert.

Hon. H. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works—Leeds.

Hon. C. H. Cahan, Secretary of State—St. Lawrence-St. George.

Hon. D. M. Sutherland, Minister of National Defence—Oxford North.

Hon. Alfred Duranleau, Minister of Marine—Chambly-Vercheres.

Hon. Thomas G. Murphy, Minister of Interior and Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs—Neepawa, Man.

Hon. Maurice Dupre, Solicitor-General—Quebec West.

Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration and Colonization and Minister of Mines—Timiskaming South.

Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture—Melfort, Sask.

Sir George Perley, being member without portfolio, does not have to seek re-election. This also applies to Hon. J. A. MacDonald (Kings, P.E.I.).

ARABS MAKE PROTEST

JERUSALEM, Aug. 23.—Most Arab shops were closed here today in protest against continuance of the British Mandate in Palestine. More shops remained open, however, than during former strikes, probably because of internal dissension.

VETERAN JOURNALIST DIES

GRAVENHURST, Ont., Aug. 23.—William Landless Kerr, forty-five, war veteran, journalist and curling authority, died here early today as a result of gas poisoning suffered overseas. Mr Kerr has for many years been shipping editor on The Montreal Star, having begun his career with The Moose Jaw Times. During the war Mr Kerr attained a wide reputation as a gas instructor. He was severely gassed in 1918 and never fully recovered.

BRITAIN RAPS LEAGUE BODY FOR FINDINGS

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the situation a month before the outbreak did not mention the deficiencies and dangers which it now claims were obvious beforehand.

Great Britain reduced its forces on the advice of the High Commissioner, who is informed on the Palestine conditions as well as being a military expert. The reduction was for the purpose of establishing more normal civil government, and released funds for the development of the country which would otherwise have been expended for military purposes. It admits that in the light of subsequent events the forces were inadequate, but insists that neither the league nor Great Britain could be expected to anticipate such a sudden and widespread outbreak as that which ensued.

GREAT BRITAIN'S STAND

Great Britain holds that it is justified in using a native police force in Palestine, the same as in other territories where it has long been successfully employed, and is still hopeful for the success of that policy in the Holy Land. Great Britain claims that the league overlooks the responsibility of Jews and Arabs for the friction and says that no policy can succeed without the co-operation of both races.

While Great Britain is obliged to serve as umpire between the Arabs and the Jews, she sees little hope of constructive development in Palestine. Nevertheless, she resents the league's charge of inadequate help for the Arabs, saying that since 1921 Great Britain provided $45,000,000 for development, besides guaranteeing a $22,500,000 loan to the Palestine Government in 1927 for the construction of railways, ports and public works.

In general, the British retort that the league investigator relied on prejudiced sources for criticisms and failed to afford the mandatory power an opportunity for full rebuttal.

Simultaneously, Jerusalem reports the declaration, by the Arab executive, of a strike for today because this is the anniversary of the outbreak of the anti-Jewish rioting, and in protest of the commutation of the death sentence pressed upon a Jew named Orfali, in connection with the riots.

PARACHUTE JUMPER INSTANTLY KILLED

DENTON, Md., Aug. 23.—Walter Jewell, thirty-two, professional parachute jumper, was killed late today when the chute he was using, failed to open, and he fell 700 feet into Market Street.

"UP HERE" MESSAGE MARKED ON TIMBER BY DOOMED MINERS

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They broke it down—and "up here" was Ralph Hale and his friends. Vide Kresich was there, and John Njegovan and W. Smith, and his brother, P. Smith, and M. Lawrie and H. Ruchledge and J. Sutich and M. Marshall and Robert Simpson—diggers they were, fine up-standing men. And with them was D. MacDonald, a hoistman, and Joe Nagode, a driver. They were workers together in the mine, and they were all together behind that ineffective barricade.

OTHERS FOUND

And in another part of the mine the remains of Pete Stillinovich and Mike Babich were discovered.

Thirty-seven of the forty-five men who perished have been found. Eight bodies are still hidden in the mysterious maze of unexplored workings. From the known location where the six of them were working it is believed that water in the lower levels covers their remains, and it may be some time before they are recovered.

These are dark days at Blakeburn and down the hill in Coalmont; days of grief and weeping—for they are days of funerals. At Blakeburn and Coalmont and at Princeton there is mourning, grieving processions to burying grounds wend through the towns, and men and women go back and forth to pay their last respects and express anew their sympathy with those who remain to face the future without the support and comfort of loved ones.

The remains of J. Bradbury are being forwarded to Vancouver for interment. Most of the victims of the explosion will, however, rest in the quiet graveyards of Blakeburn, of Coalmont or Princeton.

WEATHER PERMITTING FLYERS WILL PROCEED

IVIGTUT, Greenland, Aug. 23.—Captain Wolfgang Von Granau and his three German companions who landed here yesterday in a flight from Iceland, will continue to Labrador or Newfoundland tomorrow, if weather permits. They presumably are on a flight to the United States, although they have not so announced definitely.

7,000 MILES TO WEDDING

Three bridesmaids recently made a 7,000-mile dash from Buenos Aires to London to attend Miss Ivy Franklin, of Buenos Aires, when she became the bride of T. B. Alston, son of the late Sir Beilby and Lady Alston, at St. Paul's. The three were neighbors and friends of the bride. They arrived just in time for the wedding and returned home almost immediately afterward.

—Y'know, it gives me the creeps to see old Bill practisin' for the 'undred yards. 'E might forget an' think 'e's in for the quarter-mile.

—From London Opinion.

FLYERS LEAVE TODAY FOR NORTH AMERICA

Von Gronau and Companions to Start on Last Lap of Flight From Germany

IVIGTUT, Greenland, Aug. 23.—Four German aviators will take off tomorrow, weather permitting, on the last lap of a flight from Germany to the North American continent.

Captain Wolfgang von Gronau and his three companions, Edward Zimmer, aviation student; Franz Hack, mechanic, and Herr Albrecht, wireless operator, landed here yesterday afternoon from Reykjavik, Iceland, where they arrived Wednesday, and made preparations to continue westward.

The flyers are reticent regarding their plans and their activities have been rather mysterious since they left the German school for commercial pilots at Waremuende, of which Von Gronau is chief, on a training flight early this week.

They reached Reykjavik from the Faroe Islands Wednesday and it was reported then they were headed for the United States. Later, Von Gronau and heads of the aviation school denied this, saying the flyers would remain in Reykjavik until the German gunboat Meteor had departed yesterday noon.

Instead, they rose early yesterday morning and went to their big Dornier Wal flying boat. Von Gronau told a bystander they probably would be in Germany by night but the next heard of them was they were half way to Greenland. By mid-afternoon they had landed there.

It still has not been made known if they intend to go to the United States, but their plans for flying to Canadian territory show them headed for North America at any rate.

TO ACCELERATE WORK NOW PROCEEDING ON INLAND WATERWAYS

ORANGE, Va., Aug. 23.—Acceleration of work already under way on inland waterways and especially on flood control projects on the Lower Mississippi, was decided upon today by President Hoover after a lengthy conference with engineers at his mountain lodge.

Under the programme mapped out today the approximate $35,000,000 available during this fiscal year for flood control work would be expended by Spring. Ordinarily it would be apportioned over the fiscal year which ends June 30. In view of drought and unemployment it was felt that speeding up the river work would improve general economic conditions.

Hanford MacNider, new American Minister to Canada, another camp guest, discussed with the President the proposed St. Lawrence waterway, but renewal of diplomatic negotiations on this project are expected to await MacNider's arrival at Ottawa and his determination of the new Canadian Government's attitude.

MESSAGE IN BOTTLE

NANAIMO, Aug. 23.—Constable Byatt, of Ladysmith, was handed a message by a girl, found in a floating bottle near Ladysmith, which read: "My name is Joe Williams. I was born in London, England." The message was dated August 8, 1930. "Tell Chief of Police at Kamloops that I killed myself. I do not like this life." Provincial police are investigating it.

COMMUNIST RIOTS FEARED IN HAVANA

HAVANA, Aug. 23.—Police guards were thrown about headquarters of American institutions in Cuba, and the American Embassy today in anticipation of Communist disorders commemorating the Sacco-Vanzetti executions.

English language newspapers, The Embassy, Consulate and other places directly or indirectly under American supervision will remain protected until midnight.

At one time during the protest strike in France against the deduction of social insurance assessments from their pay nearly 80,000 men were out.

Pay Honor To Memory Of Fallen

VANCOUVER, Aug. 23.—In memory to their comrades who, on the twenty-third day of August, 1914—sixteen years ago—fell at Mons in the first clash between British and German troops, members of the Old Contemptibles residing in Vancouver, held a brief but impressive ceremony at the Cenotaph at 5:30 p.m. today.

The Old Contemptibles have kept the anniversary of that first attack every year.

The party this afternoon assembled at the Courthouse and paraded to the Cenotaph headed by the band of the Port Coquitlam Canadian Legion.

PERUVIAN REVOLT IS REPORTED SPREADING

Rebellion in Southern Province Caused by Forged Army Ordinance Discharging Officers

LIMA, Peru, Aug. 23. — Reports were current today that the revolutionary movement in the Department of Arequipa had spread to the Departments of Puno and Cuzco, but could not be verified officially.

The Government organ, La Prensa, said, however, both departments, which are north of Arequipa, were quiet and had not been disturbed.

Military garrisons were on the side of the Government, added the paper, and lines of communication with the remainder of the republic are standing.

The revolt in Arequipa, which is the third city in Peru, was led by Lieut.-Col. Sanchez Cerro. His troops arrested Federico Fernandez, Prefect of the department, and Brigadier-General Leopold Arias, chief of the Arequipa military division, but there was no bloodshed.

A Government communique issued here said the movement was based on a forged army ordinance saying the Government had decided to discharge some officers and to cut the salaries of others. It added necessary steps had been taken to restore order in the province.

VIOLENT RAINSTORM BOMBARDS NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—A violent rainstorm, accompanied by wind, thunder and lightning, bombarded New York City today, uprooting trees and telephone poles and flooding streets and cellars.

Two persons were killed in automobile crashes attributed indirectly to the storm.

A northeast gale lashed the New Jersey coast and small craft navigated in the harbor with difficulty. Water poured into several subway stations.

American tourists will spend in France this year at least $175,000,000, according to estimates.

CHEMISTS FIND UNIQUE POISON

Discovery Follows Investigation of Paralysis Cases in Southern States

HAS PECULIAR ACTION

By THOMAS R. HENRY
(North American Newspaper Alliance)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Chemists of the National Institute of Health and the Prohibition Bureau have obtained small quantities of what is apparently a "unique poison," hitherto unknown, with a strangely specific action on men and animals.

They found it after analyses extending over four months of samples of Jamaica ginger extracts which caused the so-called "jake paralysis" in thousands of persons.

The new poison is described as a "cresol phosphoric acid-eater." Its exact chemical nature remains unknown and is the object of further research. The remarkable feature of the substance is the specificity of its action on the human body.

It attacks directly and solely, experiments indicate, the lower motor neurons whose cell bodies are in the spinal cord. But its action seems restricted to those neurons which control the distal muscles of the extremities—those of the hands and feet. The rest of the nerve cells and other body cells are left unaffected. Few known poisons act so specifically, picking out the microscopic cells set aside in the body for a particular function.

Victims exhibit about the same symptoms. Nearly all cases are characterized by "wrist drop and foot drop" on both sides. The sufferers seem to lose control over hands and feet. Milder cases can get around with canes and crutches. Severer cases are bedridden and unable to feed themselves. In no case, illustrating the remarkable specificity of the poison, does the muscle paralysis extend above the elbows. A few very severe cases are found where it extends into the thighs.

Almost all the victims are white men and women, although the greatest number of cases were in Southern States with large colored populations. Mississippi led with 2,000. Public health officials, however, are not inclined to believe that the poison is so specific as to attack only white men and not colored men.

The British Medical Association has expressed the opinion that where traffic control by color system is in force there should be alternative signals for color-blind autoists.

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Sunlight Soap, per pkt.	19c	Greengage Jam, 4-lb. tins	39c
Gold Dust, large packets	27c	Rogers' Syrup, 5-lb. tins	39c
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Spring Lamb, Stew, lb.	15c
Boiling Beef, lb.	10c
Pure Pork Sausages, lb.	25c
Beef Sausage, lb.	10c

NEW ENGLAND MARKET

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Eat More Lamb Suggested As Immediate Remedy for Relief of B.C. Breeders

Following an extensive market survey in which actual conditions existing in sheep and lamb flocks of the province were analyzed, the Department of Agriculture has decided to institute an educational campaign to encourage the consumption of more lamb in British Columbia homes.

As predicted by the officials of the marketa branch of the department, Coast cities in the last two weeks were flooded with lambs rushed to market in such numbers that the prices broke below the Calgary market. The situation is reported under now, with a weekly consumption of between 2,000 and 2,500 lambs on the Coast.

To help British Columbia producers move their lambs without being penalized by the glutting of the market and consequent failures to the breeders, a series of booklets is to be issued by the department, containing recipes for lamb and mutton dishes in a wide variety of forms. Definite arrangements have been made to circulate the recipes through women's institutes in the province, to encourage greater use of a British Columbia product that is a means of livelihood to large members of stock raisers.

LAMBING TOO LATE

The original survey carried out by W. Wallace Duncan, Director of Marketing, and Dr. W. H. Gibb, Director of Animal Husbandry, under instructions from Hon. William Atkinson, Minister of Agriculture, showed that British Columbia sheep breeders under existing conditions were arriving too late on the market with their finished lambs. This meant a loss of the best prices for the local product and paved the way for the capture of the best of the Canadian market by imported carcasses.

By an adjustment of breeding arrangements, and provision for Winter feed and early Spring pasture, British Columbia lambs can be finished well ahead of imported carcasses, and the balance restored in favor of British Columbia producers, it was shown by the survey.

The facts adduced in the review won widespread attention from producers and packers, and systematic plans are now under way to bring about earlier lambing in the province. As this means Summer silving for Winter feed and other adjustments, the plan may take some years to come fully into operation.

Meanwhile, educational means to bring the advantages of the local product to the attention of British Columbia housewives will be undertaken, and practical results showing a number of inviting ways of preparing lamb and mutton will be circulated through the women's institutes of the province.

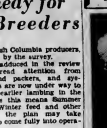
MARKET SURVEY

Referring to the glutting of the Coast market, in correspondence with the British Columbia Sheep Breeders' Association recently, Mr. Duncan said, in part: "After visiting the markets, the packers and some retailers, I find that a week or two ago the market was very much glutted, and more lambs were being shipped in than could possibly be taken care of by the packers. It is the same old story of everyone being anxious to sell his stuff first, for fear the market will break; and it always results in the conditions above noted. However, I am pleased to have the assurance of the packers and others that the market is now clear, and in a normal condition.

"If the breeders hold their lambs until they have definite information regarding shipments, and not send on unsolicited lots, there is no reason why the market should not hold. The abundance of good grass in Alberta this year has brought in the Alberta lambs earlier, and that has not helped the situation. I find that all markets are down, both on the other side and throughout Canada, and that no foreign lamb has been shipped in for the last thirty days, except those in bond for ship consumption," concluded Mr. Duncan.

Next year, it is hoped, arrangements to bring about earlier lambing in British Columbia flocks will contribute materially to the returning of sheep breeders.

Nineteth Birthday Is Being Celebrated



—Photo by Don Walter Studio

JAMES T. McLIMONT

Who is celebrating his ninetieth birthday today, and who is the guest of honor at a reception given by the Ramsay Pioneer Society, Victoria-Oak Bay. He is here with his great-grandmother, Fanny Morris, daughter Joan and Mr. R. S. Morris.

SIR JOSEPH WARD LEAVES ESTATE OF MILLION AND HALF

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Aug. 23.—The late Sir Joseph Ward, twice Prime Minister of New Zealand, and holder during a long political career, of many portfolios, left an estate of 300,000 pounds sterling, or about $1,460,000.

Sir Joseph resigned his second premiership this year on finding his health unable to carry the burden. He was seventy-four years of age, and knew a lot of the grand old man of New Zealand.

VISITORS HAD PLEASANT TIME

Manufacturers' Life Underwriters Complete Work of Convention

—Business Less for Hens

After spending a very pleasant time in Victoria the members of the One Hundred Thousand Dollar Club of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company have dispersed for the year and for the most part have left for their homes. In addition to the business meetings of the club when questions of interest to the representatives were discussed the gathering was made the occasion for a number of social events.

The local manager of the company, James Sherratt, was untiring in his efforts to make the visit enjoyable and in this was ably assisted by Mrs. Sherratt, who aided in the entertaining. Mrs. Sherratt was hostess to the wives of the underwriters present at afternoon tea at the Empress Hotel, and at other functions which were arranged for.

Informal dances and golf contests occupied considerable of the time of the visitors while they were not in session at the Empress.

H. B. Berwick, field service department, in speaking of the work of the club, said that these conventions were devised primarily for the benefit and instruction of its representatives. The conventions of the company's production clubs have now become a most important medium for the introduction of ideas calculated to improve the efficiency of the members to serve the public in their respective communities.

In the early years of its formation, the One Hundred Thousand Dollar Club held only one convention each year. The rapid increase in membership and the growth of the company's business led to the formation of a Two Hundred Thousand Dollar Club in 1928. It is now a necessary for the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company to hold regional meetings of its agents each year, due to its size and the wide area in which the company operates, the convention in Victoria having been held for representatives throughout Western Canada and the Pacific Coast, including the States of California, Oregon and Washington.

The Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company was incorporated in 1887, and had as its first president, Sir John A. Macdonald, the first Prime Minister of Canada. The development of the company's business during recent years has been remarkable. Its activities are carried on in thirty-two differnt countries of the world, including Great Britain and Ireland, the United States, Central America, British West Indies, India, Egypt, Japan, etc. The volume of life insurance in force on December 31, 1929, was $504,500,000. Its assets are now well in excess of $100,000,000. A little over a year ago the company effected a substantial reduction in its premium rates on all plans of life insurance, thereby making it possible for the individuals to purchase an enhanced amount of protection for the same outlay.

The local agency of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company, under the management of James Sherratt, has shown a substantial increase in its annual volume of business, said the head office official in paying a compliment to Mr. Sherratt and his new staff, consisting of E. J. Bawden, E. M. Brown, J. E. Fuller, H. J. Ketchen, D. McKercracher and Chan Horne, Chinese representative.

Opposition Unlikely

TORONTO, Aug. 23.—Hon. Nelson Parliament, at Liberal headquarters, stated today he had not heard of any move to oppose the newly appointed Cabinet Ministers from Ontario in their by-elections. While no official decision had been reached, said Mr. Parliament, he did not think the ministers would be opposed.

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INSURANCE IN PROVINCE HAS BIG INCREASE

B.C. Public Is Carrying $411,055,991 Protection in Life Companies

COVERAGE ON MARINE RISKS ALSO GAINED

Life insurance exhibited a steady growth in the province for the year ending December 31, 1929, H. C. Garrett, Superintendent of Insurance, has reported to Hon. R. H. Pooley, K.C., in his annual summary of all forms of insurance, which has been just issued.

There was also a slight increase in fire insurance premiums, but this was offset by a serious increase in loss. Automobile premiums increased substantially, with relatively little loss. The volume of casualty insurance and miscellaneous forms of insurance increased substantially during the year, Mr. Garrett reports.

Companies licensed to write insurance in the province during the year numbered 272, which included twenty-one new companies. Of these 231 companies are operating on the Dominion licenses and twenty-two on provincial licenses. Life underwriting agents to the number of 1,416 were licensed, and 1,232 agents for other forms of insurance, not including twenty-six adjusters. Licenses to the number of 1,150 were issued under the Real Estate Agents' Licensing Act, for real estate operators and salesmen.

LIFE INSURANCE CARRIED

The report gives the annual statement of the companies doing business in the province and a list of their licenses. Life insurance companies, with $411,055,991 of insurance in force in British Columbia, reported claims paid, including matured endowments, totalling $7,704,217 during the year. Premiums for the year amounted to $13,246,907, and new policies and those taken up amounted to $35,994,596. The same companies had $27,666,973 invested in mortgages and $24,886,238 in other securities within the province.

Fire insurance companies reported premiums written of $1,016,677, with losses paid of $3,143,631 for 1929.

Automobile insurance accounted for $3,137,000 in premiums, net losses paid being $1,516,000.

In accident insurance, gross premiums less return premiums, amounted to $530,899, and gross losses paid to $262,446. In sickness insurance, $297,893 was paid in premiums and the losses were $151,713.

NO LOSS ON CLIMATE

Tornado and weather insurance in British Columbia was a light figure, with $84 and $203 being the respective premiums paid, and no losses were encountered by the insurers.

Boiler and machinery insurance to the extent of $3,967 in premium value was carried and $1,552 paid in losses on this account.

BURGLARS MADE HAUL

Burglary insurance accounted for $97,041 in premiums, and $33,433 in losses. Guarantee insurance to the extent of $179,844 in premiums is recorded, with $14,083 in losses. Bond insurance paid $1,353 in premiums, and had no losses.

Inland transportation and marine insurance to the extent of $213,014 and $1,248,178, respectively, in premium values were carried with losses at $18,244 and $7,643, respectively.

Losses of $32,049 were reported on plate glass premiums of $55,837.

In public liability insurance $16,145 was paid in premiums and $43,226 returned in losses. Miscellaneous insurance to a premium value of $12,341 was written, with losses of $485.

Investments by insuring companies, other than life underwriters, totaled $4,431,618 in government securities and $1,296,466 in mortgages, the report concludes.

PANAMA GOV'T BEGINS CURTAILING EXPENSES

Secretary of Agriculture Takes Lead in Economy Drive by Dischargs 2,000 Road Employees

BY JULIAN P. JEAN

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PANAMA CITY, Aug. 22.—All departments have started to decrease their number of employees and to cut salaries in an effort to lessen Governmental expenditures, which are running more than $50,000 a month over the receipts, as Secretary of the Treasury Tomas Guardia announced at this week's cabinet meeting.

Luis Clement, Secretary of Agriculture, took the lead in the economy campaign by discharging 2,000 road employees and eliminating several executive positions deemed unnecessary.

As predicted exclusively in these dispatches a week ago, the Government found it necessary to secure a loan. Explaining its financial situation at all the branches of the United States-owned banks here, the Government today petitioned for a loan of $1,000,000 to close the tide until the economy programme is carried out.

In reliable circles it is believed, however, that a loan of $1,000,000 will not suffice, as the economy programme is not regarded seriously, and that a larger national loan must be floated to meet the poor financial condition.

Acclamation Expected

PRINCE ALBERT, Aug. 22.—Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, is practically certain of acclamation in the Melfort by-election for which nominations will be held Monday.

The Liberals of the riding, it was learned from an authoritative source here today, have decided not to oppose Mr. Weir. From the same source it was learned that Hon. Charles A. Dunning, former Minister of Finance, had been slated for nomination against Mr. Weir, but later, at a secret meeting, decision not to enter a candidate was made.

Awarded Scholarship Given by I.O.D.E.

—Photo by Shaw Studio

DAVID CAMPBELL

Fifteen-year-old son of the late Major P. Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, Saltair Avenue, Saanichton, who won the I.O.D.E. war memorial scholarship. He is the award being made last week.

BURNT SCHOOLS TO BE REPLACED BY DOUKHOBORS

Peter Verenin Undertakes to Have Glade, B.C., Schools Peconstructed

BURNED BY FANATICS EARLY THIS SUMMER

School buildings burned by lawless Doukhobors at Glade, B.C., will be rebuilt at a cost of $5,000 by the Christian Community of the Universal Brotherhood, a wire from inspector Sheffield at Nelson, received yesterday at the Provincial Buildings, states.

Assurance that the Glade school would be reconstructed and paid for by the Doukhobor community has been given the Government by Peter Verenin, president of the Christian Community.

Two school buildings at Glade were destroyed by fire mysteriously during the Summer, the destruction being laid to the door of the fanatical section of the Russian colonists. Word that the Doukhobors intend to replace the school at their own expense has been favorably received here.

PLAN MEETING ON EDUCATION

British Columbia Would Be Represented at Dominion Gathering

TO DISCUSS TEXTBOOKS

Recommended by a special committee of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, a national round table conference on education would be welcomed by the British Columbia Department of Education, it was stated yesterday by Hon. H. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary, in the absence of Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe, Minister of Education. The use of Canadian textbooks in preference to those originating in foreign countries would be one subject discussed at such a conference, it is indicated.

If the party is called, it will be attended on behalf of the Province by Mr. Hinchliffe, who is expected back in Victoria in September.

Mr. Hinchliffe has taken a leading interest in the question of the use of Canadian and other British textbooks in Canadian schools, which resolved themselves already in so far as British Columbia schools are concerned," stated Mr. Howe.

CITIZENS ENDANGERED BY ANIMAL MIGRATION

Lions, Buffaloes, Elephants and Leopards Menacing Countryside of Eastern Transvaal

BY ARTHUR BELL

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JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, Aug. 23.—Lions, buffaloes, elephants and leopards are menacing the countryside of Eastern Transvaal as a result of the carelessness of tourists. Americans are among those blamed for the wholesale migration of animals from the Kruger National Park which has been caused by great bush fires started by tourists throwing matches and lighted cigarettes about and by lighting camp fires.

High winds and long grass have been conducive to fires, and nearly all the grazing veldt between the Olifants and Crocodile rivers is devastated by fire. Game wardens have taken a drastic step in closing the reserve to tourists for five months.

Meanwhile, the game has been driven far afield, and is menacing farmers. One lion was seen seen only two miles outside Pretoria, the capital city. The danger is increasing, however, as far from its natural haunts, the game is deprived of its regular diet.

BODIES ARE RECOGNIZED

MEDFORD, Oregon, Aug. 23.—The bodies of William Sherwood, thirty-eight, automobile camp proprietor, and his son, six, were recognized today from Fort Bay, near Prospect, where they were drowned yesterday. Father and son were on a fishing trip.

It is believed both went down as the father attempted to rescue his son.

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OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—A survey of Canada's coal problem, a restatement of the anomalies of the nation's existing fuel situation, and some recommendations concerning the future are contained in a volume published today, called "The Fuel Problem of Canada," written by Martin Nordegg, of Ottawa.

Mr. Nordegg, who has been intimately associated with Western coal mining for many years, first of all looks over the present situation, and in doing so discloses some striking facts. Canada uses 23,000,000 tons of coal annually, of which 20,000,000 are imported. Yet Canada holds one-sixth of the total coal reserves of the world, most of it sufficiently high quality to take the place of imported coals. At present the prospect of remedying this situation seems to be anything but encouraging. Ultimate fuel independence he puts far into the future.

CAUSES OF ANOMALIES

There are, according to the book, many factors which contribute to this anomalous coal situation in Canada, among them being wasteful and inefficient control of the coal industry as a whole; the duplication of mines; the failure of coal owners to look beyond the mere profit and loss side of their business; the failure of the railways to make the most of their opportunities; faulty and incompetent methods of marketing and a general apathy on the part of the public and Governments.

MAKES RECOMMENDATIONS

Mr. Nordegg's chief recommendations for putting an end to the present system are as follows. The introduction of low temperature carbonization coke plants in Canada; appointment of a Dominion fuel commission with wide powers and ample funds; cancelation of unworked mire leases; the allowing of new mines only when economically justified, readjustment on reasonable lines of tariff and drawback arrangements; elimination of duties on coal mining tools and machinery and various forms of provincial taxation; the merging of existing mines wherever possible; the formation of coal syndicates for co-operative marketing, and improved retailing methods.

"There must first be brought about a unification of minds best on national welfare," adds the author. "A determination to waive petty personal, local and provincial interests. There should be no half-hearted measures. There must be a determined Canadian fuel development plan."

Devoting all her spare time in the last fifteen years, Miss M. Bridges, of Sevenoaks, England, constructed a nine-foot model of a battleship, correct to scale in every detail, its searchlights being lit by tiny bulbs and its chart room having a miniature engine-room telegraph apparatus.

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Sunday, August 24, 1930

A SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITION

All records for attendance were broken at the Exhibition of the B.C. Agricultural Association held at the Willows during the past week. In other words, public interest locally never reached a greater height and this is a cause for satisfaction to all concerned. It is more, for it indicates a growing appreciation of the efforts put forth by those engaged in the agricultural industry on Vancouver Island and throughout the Province. It is the co-operation shown by the people, in the and similar ways, that makes industry prosperous, a prosperity from which the people as a whole must benefit.

For the admirable arrangements made for the Exhibition the highest praise must be accorded to Mr. W. H. Mundie, the retiring president of the B.C. Agricultural Association, and Mr. W. H. Mearns, the secretary. Both of these officials have been enthusiastic and untiring in their efforts. In the experience they have brought to bear on their duties they have received able assistance from Mr. George Sangster, who possibly knows more about the successful conduct of exhibitions than any man in British Columbia. These three responsible officials received cordial co-operation always from the representatives of the City Council who have been members of the executive committee.

High praise has been showered on the Exhibition management during the past week. What is of particular satisfaction is that the whole programme should have been carried out with such a degree of smoothness. The arrangements at the Willows were never better. The large attendances never showed a more appreciative spirit of good will and satisfaction with the provisions for their entertainment. The quality and the quantity of the exhibits were excellent, and it is safe to say that a definite impetus will be given to the agricultural industry in most of its phases because of the success achieved by the B.C. Agricultural Association. There are other features worthy of comment. The shifting northward of the race track, the provision of a new grandstand and the greatly increased space left available for the parking of motor cars and the movement of people around the Exhibition grounds, all constitute changes for betterment. They are of a character which have been commended on everyone in highly favorable terms. The present year's Exhibition is likely to go down in history as a landmark in the consistent development taking place in such annual affairs.

A WORD OF PRAISE

Victoria is fortunate in these times, and for that matter at any time, in having efficient municipal administration. The thought arises because in other cities on the continent the while light of publicity is exposing misdeeds in civic management, and charges of graft are more insistent than they have been for a long time past. This city, by contrast with some others, has an enviable reputation. It is well administered, and in times that are considered not altogether healthy from an economic standpoint it continues to make progress in a quiet but none the less substantial way. For this, at least some of the credit must be given to the personnel of our civic officialdom.

In Mayor Herbert Anscomb this municipality has a head who has proved himself entirely capable in every role of his official duties. He has done what some other Mayors of this city have failed to do, namely, set the pace and taking and the hearty co-operation of his aldermanic board. He has been an admirable chairman of Council meetings. He has shown himself a wholly satisfactory representative of the city in dealings with other municipalities in which he is called upon to participate. An able speaker, he is always forcible and timely, displaying a full appreciation of the needs of each occasion. He is a man of ideas and he possesses to a very full degree that gift of tact which is such an asset in any public man. His personality, indeed, has been a factor in welding the City Council into a harmonious machine for civic betterment than it has proved in a number of years past.

The spirit with which Mayor Anscomb has inspired his Aldermanic Council extends through all services of the civic administration. There is loyalty to the city apparent in all departments. There is hard work carried on steadily without complaints; it is efficient work as well. It is done enthusiastically and that is the secret of successful administration. The indefatigable energy of Mayor Anscomb has communicated itself throughout the City Hall and to the outside services of the municipality. The result is a well-ordered community from the standpoint of civic governance, a fact upon which the people of Victoria can well congratulate themselves and those whom they have put in charge of their affairs.

Of the various city departments it might be invidious to single out any particular one for favorable comment. They are all doing well. The Engineering Department, under Mr. F. M. Preston, is active always in an entirely satisfactory way. The conditions of our roadways and waterworks are evidence of this. The Police Department can lay claim to at least a part of the merit because Victoria is so comparatively free from crime. The police officials, under Chief John Fry, carry on their duties actively all the time and always with courtesy to the public and without friction. All that is said about the conduct of these branches of civic service applies with equal strength to the Fire Department under Chief Stewart, to the Health Department; to the Assessor's branch of civic work, and, indeed, in every activity which comes under the head of municipal administration.

Victoria can lay claim to being served in a fortunate manner in these times, and the character of civic control has much to do with the stability of any community. Periods of economic depression are but milestones on the road of progress. They are bound to ensue because human nature, with its limitations, is what it is. Happy is the municipality which in such a period is well governed, where there is careful administration with a strict eye to economics, and where the officials enjoy public confidence. All this can be said of Victoria, and it is a matter upon which our citizens have cause for legitimate pride in the era through which we are passing.

THE EXAMINATION SYSTEM

Mr. H. A. L. Fisher, a former British Minister of Education and now Warden of New College, is not one of those who believe that the examination system in schools should be abolished. He admits that the so-called apostles of liberty have nothing to say in its favor, but in his opinion all inquiry tends to show that intelligence tests are no substitute. "The truth is," says Mr. Fisher, "that while assailants of examinations have a good deal to say for themselves they are quite unable to argue out of existence the stubborn fact of human difference. Bad as examinations often are, there can be little doubt that they have raised the standard of intellectual industry among the lazy and that their disappearance would be followed by a marked decline in the standard of national cultivation and character."

There is room for the reform of examinations according to Mr. Fisher, but the reforming of them is not the same thing as abolishing them. A staunch a believer as anyone in liberty, but he knows, too, that the prime object of education is to train the mind and, "through the disciplined mind to improve character." Taking away the examination system from education would be parallel to allowing athletes to display their prowess as individuals without competition.

NO SELF-ADVERTISEMENT

In a world of propaganda and self-advertisement a refreshing note has been struck by the opening of a new publishing house in Paris—Carnefour Editions—which announces that the strictest anonymity will be observed in all publications. By this means, the promoters hope "to put an end to the inferiority-complex—a disease which is such a degrading feature of modern publishing." The contention is put forward that many of the greatest works of art in the world today are anonymous. Instances such as the Gothic Cathedrals of Northern France, the Winged Victory and the Authorized Version of the Bible are quoted.

Perhaps one of the most compelling reasons advanced for not giving the author's name to a publication is that now so much of an artist's energy is employed in gaining and holding recognition for himself. Under the new publishing house's plan he will have to renounce his name, but it is pointed out that "he will be free to employ his energy in the more congenial task of living the life which suits him best—that is, of course, if the intrinsic worth of his work is left client to obtain recognition and enjoy popularity without the support of personal publicity."

Subscriptions will be received at this office for the dependents of those who lost their lives in the recent Blackburn coal mining explosion. The subscription is being made province-wide, as it is felt that a considerable sum of money will be needed so that the immediate relatives of those who died may not suffer. The chairman of the subscription committee is Mr. W. A. Wagenhauser, a merchant of Princeton.

THE MAGIC MERRIDES

Child of the hardy North am I, though Lowland born and bred,
The seagull's scream or lapwing's cry can turn my heart to wing
And start my blood to hanker for the tang of spray, flung astea,
The seas that wash the islands of the far-off Hebrides.

There, from the city's stifling heat, and traffic's jangled throng,
Far from the bustling crowds that surge and jar, and push along.
Far to the heathered islands of the torrents and the snows,
Where sunshine and the Spirit of the Spirit, and Faith the silly stinging from the Pentland's water grey
And know the barren shelters of Hardrada's refugees
But I love the magic Merrides, the magic Hebrides.

—J. J., in Leith Academy Magazine.

A more glorious victory cannot be gained over another man than this, that when the injury been done to him, he has kindness should begin on ours.—Archbishop Tillotson.

That thou live life? Then do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of.—Benjamin Franklin.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., August 23, 1930.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria		52	73
Nanaimo	.15	57	70
Nanaimo		54	76
Kamloops		56	82
Prince George		48	78
Estevan Point	.23	52	60
Prince Rupert		50	62
Atlin		42	60
Dawson		50	70
Seattle		60	72
Portland		54	78
San Francisco		54	70
Spokane		50	80
Los Angeles		60	82
Penticton		52	88
Vernon		50	86
Grand Forks		50	88
Nelson		54	90
Calgary		50	68
Edmonton	.04	42	62
Swift Current		54	88
Prince Albert		44	84
Qu'Appelle		52	64
Winnipeg	.68	48	66

SATURDAY

Maximum	73
Minimum	52
Average	63
Minimum on grass	44

Bright sunshine, 4 hours 13 minutes.

General state of weather, cloudy.

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate east and south winds, partly cloudy, with local showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Partly cloudy and moderately warm, with local showers.

8 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.98; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.96; wind, N.W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.74; wind, W., 8 miles; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.80; wind, S.W., 8 miles; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.80; wind, S., 4 miles; clear.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.84; wind, S.E., 22 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.00; calm; clear.

Portland—Barometer, 29.96; wind, S.W., 6 miles; fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.92; wind, S., 4 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.86; wind, W., 14 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

To R. B. D., July 19, 1930:
Dear Sir—Kindly publish Sonnets, Articles, British The Daily Colonist.
Behind your sonnetry—
We see the sand corrosion

Page 15 today year has revealed
Where yonder and beauty pay combine.
Kindly hath to auto sonnetry,
"How ain't that somebody" dandy, time.
—E. B. E.

Alberni, July 20, 1930.

Our Alberni reader is mistaken. The picture printed in The Colonist of July 19, or of August 18, as the case may be, is not our sonnet. It was the picture of the two-holing a man to be a photo of us or any member of the editorial staff, with possibly the exception of the news editor, who is a fine figure of a man and has been endowed by nature with a very genial personality and that is something which cannot be said of many editors, for their jobs are more likely to produce dyspepsia than genial. The responsibility of printing that picture rests upon the business department, and the smiling face may be a reflection of the state of business in that department.

The last time we had our picture taken the artist who performed the operation achieved a very creditable job, considering the nature and quality of the material he had to work upon; but even though we have been told by candid friends and relatives that the picture was flattering in the extreme, it was not anything like the picture printed in the business advertisement of this paper. We fear that neither our friends nor the verses of our reader would take first place at an exhibition of the arts, and we decline contributor for his tribute and thank heaven that our anonymity is yet secure enough that the whole city of Alberni, where the readers of The Colonist display such fine discrimination.

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We are told on very good authority that dissensions occur even in the best-regulated families, but when business disturbs the pleasant relations of the best regulated private families the nature and purport of the disagreement in these families are usually kept hidden from the rest of the world and settled within the confines of the best-regulated family circles. If there is any dirty linen to be washed, it is usually washed in the family tub.

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The MacPherson and Kennedy family apparently cannot do that. That may be because the MacPhersons and Kennedys are not members of well-regulated families, but are artists—and artists are usually temperamental. Moreover, if they were common people they might be considered quarrelsome. At any rate, when trouble breaks out in the Temple of the Muses, or of the gods as the case may be, at Los Angeles, the reporters of the newspapers always find out about it. One of the peculiar features of the temples of the arts at Hollywood or Los Angeles is that those places seem to be as productive of scandals as the headquarters of the prohibition enforcement forces in itself every part of the United States. There is marriage and giving in marriage, we assume, in the chief Temple of the Four-Square Gospel religious denomination in Los Angeles, but, so far as we know, there has never been a divorce scandal there, which distinguishes it from the Hollywood centre of art and amusements. If the performances given in the Temple are orderly, decorous, inspiring and artistically performed, they are not featured by immorality, and no murders have been committed by the actors and actresses.

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All that stands against the performers in the celebrated Temple is that at intervals there are family squabbles. There was of course that mysterious disappearance for three or more days and the sudden reappearition of the chief priestess of the Temple. That matter has never been explained to the satisfaction of the sceptics, but the followers of the prophetess appear to be satisfied that the mysterious affair was merely an abduction, although no reason was asked and was given. It appears there are a staff of male pastors attached to the Temple, although the director of ceremonies and the controller of finances is a woman and her first assistant also is a woman.

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The mother of the chief priestess claims to be founder of the system, and seems to be jealous of the powers which have been conferred by the chief priestess upon this female assistant. At any rate, there was an unhappy family quarrel, and Mrs. Kennedy went to a hospital for the purpose of having her nose adjusted to its natural proportion and comeliness as a consequence of having been bashed on the organ by her artistic but unfaithful daughter. The artistic but unfaithful daughter, as a result of the family trauma, had an attack of hysterics, which required the services of a physician. Alimes claims she did not attack her mother, did not hit her on the nose, that the said nose was not a thing of beauty anyhow, and that its appearance would be improved by the amputation of a too conspicuous knob on the end of it. Mrs. Kennedy says her daughter was not incapacitated for Temple duty as a result of a "run-in" with her mother; that she merely underwent an operation for the lifting of her face and removal of a too-prominent physical appearance. People who sit in the seats of the scornful of course say that the whole unpleasantness is merely an advertising "stunt" like that performed by the abductee, that business at the Temple is beginning to wane and that something has to be done to arouse interest in the gospel according to the Four-Square Lighouse denomination. But, of course, we cannot draw their own conclusions.

Letters to the Editor

Be brief in the Editor will be inserted "over" or "on" a pseudonym, but the address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

PARK AND FORESHORE

Sir,—It is a pleasure to read in the letters column of The Colonist the desirability of some development of our park and foreshore and no sure a large number of our citizens are in agreement with you.

Beacon Hill should be made one of our greatest attractions. We have in Mr. Butchart's beautiful gardens ample evidence of what one public-spirited citizen has done to advertise Victoria.

Anyone who has seen what has been done in San Francisco to transform and dame into one of the finest and most attractive playgrounds on this continent, can appreciate the possibilities of Beacon Hill.

The first requisite should be the appointment of someone gardener with vision and creative ability. Let water be laid on the top of the hill and pipes carried round the grounds ample evidence of what could be kept green throughout the year. What greater pleasure is there than a stroll on good turf, and what more inspiring than a prospect to rival the views to be obtained from the Dallas Road?

The hill on the Beacon Hill project will not be allowed to drop, but that others, with more imagination than I possess, will back you up in what can be made a problem and beautiful development.

With well devised plans to work on, something should be done each year. The results would soon convince Victorians of the value of our foreshore, which, in our discretion has lain dormant for over half a century.

J. E. WILSON.

1217-1221 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., August 22, 1930.

AIRPORT FACILITIES

Sir,—As regards "Airport Facilities" for Vancouver Island, I wish to state I have offered 100 acres, cleared land, to the "airport situation" of Victoria for a flying field, it is therefore about 20 minutes miles from Victoria, on the Victoria-Sidney Road, ample water being on the property. This property should be looked over. How far is Croydon airport from the city of London, Sir? Yours, etc.

CHARLES P. HENSTOCK.

Mt. Newton Cross Road, Saanichton, B.C., August 23, 1930.

FELLOWSHIP OF THE SEA

Sir,—How slowly most of us on this island are knit with the sea. A few days ago we stood on a big liner going to her last resting place, and in remembrance with a Celtic-born boy carrying on the traditions of the sea.

Today we read of the Islander, a yacht, wrecked on the rough Cornish coast. In memoriam with the latter the writer of this finished his apprenticeship as shipwright, before proceeding to Devonport, being the fourth son of R. Kitto & Son, builders of the Islander.

We of the sea consider it a boat a live thing with a soul. An example may be seen at the Gorge, where the owners of the yard and the men under them are putting all they have into a boat which, when she's completed, will be a splendid piece of workmanship.

ARCHIE R. KITTO.

Elk Lake, B.C., August 22, 1930.

VANCOUVER BAND'S VISIT

Sir,—May I bring to the attention of the citizens of Victoria the visit of the Vancouver Citadel Band on August 31 and September 1. This organization is a typical Salvation Army band of forty musicians, who render much appreciated services to their city, playing on the streets and at various institutions.

The men do not receive any remuneration for their services and purchase their own uniforms, as well as contributing to the band expenses. In this visit they are contributing toward the traveling expenses.

The band will be playing at four public concerts as well as visits to the Aged Women's Home and St. Joseph's Hospital and a number of other places as announced. No admission charge is being made and the band is depending upon the free-will offerings of the public.

A number of billets will be required for meals and Sunday night, and we feel sure many of our friends would be pleased to entertain the musicians during their visit. A number of cars are also required on Monday between 1 and 3:30 p.m. Friends desiring to assist will please phone 5311, 1417 or 7188.

FRED J. MERRITT.

Major, Commanding Officer, The Salvation Army,
850 Cormorant Street, Victoria, B.C.
August 23, 1930.

POLITICS IN CHINA

Sir,—In the interview with one that you kindly published on July 13, I fear I did not make myself clear to your representative, and one serious misunderstanding appeared, which I trust you will allow me to correct.

I did not say that "the Nanking Government is giving China the best administration the country has ever had," but that it contains the germs of the best administration we in China remember in many years.

The distinction is important, because, although there are earnest and able men in Nanking, they are continually stultified by the system of government in force, the infatuation of an all-powerful coterie of politicians in the background, and the deplorable mistake of the Tang Fu or district councils of the Kuomintang throughout the provinces and towns.

The Nationalists copied the Russian committee form of Government. Minutes of meetings are little or none, all their acts being subject to revision by the Central Executive Committee of the Kuomintang (the party created by Dr. Sun Yat-sen), which is the only source of all power and authority. There are also other hampering factors, as that action even by the Central Government, is clumsy and ineffective.

Away from Nanking the Kuomintang's powers are delegated to the Tang Fu, composed of men of from seventeen to twenty-three. At best they are ignorant and opinionated, and many of them are simply out for their personal profit. They have made a fearful hash of Government, and are more responsible for the unpopularity and ineffiency of the Nationalist administration, and for the present revolt of the North than anything else.

Add to this the splitting of the Commission in various factions, each proclaiming that it alone is the true fount of Nationalism, the rightful insurance of every political act, the personal ambitions of several generals continually forming and reforming in new groups, the Kuomintang's prestige waning all over the country, wondering where their next month's pay is coming from—and it is easy to understand the endless movements of civil war, during which authority goes to bits, and Communism and brigandry prey on the defenseless people as they please.

There are good men in China, and efforts of considerable promise are visible in many directions. But until the Nationalists settle down to little humility and common sense, all endeavor is doomed to sterility. The only solution appears to be in the direction of regional Governments, a sort of federated states of China. The Canadian model was a very popular ideal with young Chinese ten years ago. But it has been overridden on the arrogant pretensions of the Kuomintang.

O. M. GREEN,
Late Editor of "The North China Daily News."

Greenway Cottage, Westworth, Virginia Water, England, August 7, 1930.

Tides at Victoria

AUGUST

Times of tides at Victoria (Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of August, 1930.

Note (Time 8:00 P.M. is 20:00 P.M. or 8:00 P.M.)

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
1	3:45	4.0	9:40	2.2	15:54	5.8	21:35	7.0
2	4:32	4.1	10:32	2.1			22:24	7.1
3	5:20	4.3			16:46	6.1	23:06	6.9
4	6:06	4.6	11:20	2.0	17:34	6.4	23:44	6.7
5	6:51	4.9	12:04	1.9	18:18	6.6	24:22	6.4
6	7:34	5.1	12:46	1.8	19:00	6.8	25:00	6.2
7	8:16	5.3	13:28	1.8	19:42	6.9	25:38	6.0
8	8:57	5.4	14:10	1.8	20:24	6.9	26:16	5.8
9	9:37	5.4	14:51	1.9	21:06	6.8	26:54	5.7
10	10:17	5.3	15:32	2.0	21:48	6.7	27:32	5.6
11	10:57	5.2	16:13	2.2	22:30	6.5	28:10	5.5
12	11:37	5.0	16:54	2.4	23:12	6.3	28:48	5.4
13			17:36	2.6			29:26	5.4
14	12:18	4.8	18:18	2.8	24:00	6.1	30:04	5.4
15	13:00	4.6	19:00	3.0	24:48	5.9	30:42	5.4
16	13:42	4.4	19:42	3.2	25:36	5.7	31:20	5.4
17	14:24	4.2	20:24	3.4	26:24	5.5	32:00	5.4
18	15:06	4.0	21:06	3.6	27:12	5.3	32:40	5.4
19	15:48	3.8	21:48	3.8	28:00	5.2	33:20	5.4
20	16:30	3.6	22:30	4.0	28:48	5.1	34:00	5.4
21	17:12	3.4	23:12	4.2	29:36	5.0	34:40	5.4
22	17:54	3.3	23:54	4.4	30:24	4.9	35:20	5.4
23	18:36	3.2	24:36	4.6	31:12	4.8	36:00	5.4
24	19:18	3.1	25:18	4.8	32:00	4.8	36:40	5.4
25	20:00	3.1	26:00	5.0	32:48	4.8	37:20	5.4
26	20:42	3.2	26:42	5.2	33:36	4.8	38:00	5.4
27	21:24	3.3	27:24	5.4	34:24	4.9	38:40	5.4
28	22:06	3.4	28:06	5.6	35:12	5.0	39:20	5.4
29	22:48	3.5	28:48	5.8	36:00	5.1	40:00	5.4
30	23:30	3.6	29:30	6.0	36:48	5.2	40:40	5.4
31			30:12	6.2	37:36	5.3	41:20	5.4

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The heights are given in feet and decimals of feet. Low water is given in italics. Where there occur two tides in the table, the lower one is the mid-tide, or the second low water of the day.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of that tide as given above.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Inner Harbour, add 24 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Cattle raising in Cuba is increasing.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of August 24, 1880)

A rumor that the ship Challenger, from Delaware Bay, had been lost, was set at rest on the 12th inst. when that ship arrived at San Francisco.

Several Methodist ministers are to this city for the purpose of visiting the district nearing to be laid hereafter parsonages.

The ultimate Reliance has left New Westminster for the Upper Fraser, with the Chief Commissioner and the Governor on board, and they will have actually the Chief Commissioner and the Governor on board, and they will have actually the Chief Commissioner and the Governor on board, and they will have actually

Government of Bolivia Is Seen Returning Into Political Bosses' Hands

Coalition Ticket Nullifies One of Objects of June Revolution

By JOHN W. WHITE
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LA PAZ, Bolivia, Aug. 22.—The lineup of the coalition ticket for the January presidential election in Bolivia nullifies one of the outstanding objects of the June revolution and puts the country back into the hands of political bosses whose corrupt governments over a long period of years have brought Bolivia to its present desperate situation.

The battle cry of the revolution which overthrew Dr. Hernando Siles was "Down with the political bosses. We will have no more political bosses."

POLITICAL INTRIGUE

The people had been led to believe that that ticket would be composed of men who were not hitherto prominent in politics, but the announcement of the ticket shows the usual political intrigue has gained control of the situation. The ticket is composed of Daniel Salamanca, for president; Ismael Montes, first vice-president, and Bautista Saavedra, second vice-president.

Montes and Saavedra are the country's two outstanding political bosses, their respective parties rotating exactly as they direct. They were formerly bitter enemies, but were reconciled when they returned to La Paz at the Junta's invitation. They have pooled their interests and control the majority of the votes. Both have been president, and the administration of neither was distinguished for constructive government nor freedom from corruption.

SAAVEDRA WAS DICTATOR

Saavedra was dictator during his entire term and cancelled the election of his chosen successor and had Siles installed as president. When Saavedra was inaugurated in 1920, as a result of revolution, the country's total foreign debt was $8,000,000. When he turned the Government over to Siles, the foreign debt was $55,000,000 with the republic's revenues mortgaged to American bankers for forty years under conditions which virtually place Bolivia's sovereignty in hands of American comptrollers in La Paz representing American bankers.

Salamanca is an educationalist and idealist, whose limited participation in public activities has shown him to be easily susceptible to direction of stronger men. For several years he has been an invalid and has been living in retirement.

CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT

It had been generally believed that Daniel Sanches Bustamente would be vice-president. He is thoroughly honest and universally popular, especially among students, but has no political ambitions and has made it understood from the beginning that he would not allow his name to be presented for any office if there was any opposition.

The choice of Montes and Saavedra as vice-presidents means that the control of the Government will be in their hands, and that they will be strong enough to place in the Cabinet several of a group of party leaders who met with them to choose the coalition ticket.

There is nothing in the situation at present to justify the belief that the future Government of Bolivia will be any different from those of the last fifteen years, since it will be composed of the same men who have been in power at some time during that period.

ECONOMIC SITUATION

Bolivia's economic situation is plainly indicated by a report just made to the military junta by the Supreme National Economic Council, appointed to study the financial conditions. The council predicts a deficit of $8,040,000 in this year's budget, which totals $17,184,000. In other words, the outlook is for a deficit of 50 per cent of the budget, while the present public indebtedness totals $73,000,000.

The mining industry supplies 52 per cent of Bolivia's total revenue and the stagnation in the industry has caused a decline of public revenues to a point where it seems impossible that Bolivia can escape bankruptcy. With 92 per cent of the total revenue mortgaged to cover the already existing American loans, there is nothing further to offer as security for new loans to assist the country through the industrial and financial crisis.

All Guernsey Champions

—Photograph by Yoma

THIS group of Guernseys, owned by breeders on the Lower Mainland, won extensively at both Prairie and Pacific Coast shows, where they were exhibited by K. A. Hay, of the Vancouver Livestock Exchange.

Obituary

HENLY.—The remains of Edward Henry Henly were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in Ross Bay cemetery, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co.'s chapel at 2.30 o'clock, with Rev. A. de H. Owen officiating both at the chapel and at the graveside. The A.O.F. service at the cemetery was conducted by Bro. L. Fletcher, P.C.R., of Court Northern Light No. 9935, A.O.F. Many sympathizing friends were in attendance, and sang the following hymns: "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "Abide With Me." A large profusion of beautiful floral designs covered the casket and hearse. The officers and members of A.O.F. Lodge attended in a body, as well as the Native Sons Lodge of British Columbia. The pallbearers were: J. W. Wagg, P.C.R., and H. Wiffen, P.C.R., representing A.O.F.; C. C. Pemberton and R. H. Hayward, representing the Native Sons of British Columbia; and P. H. Ross and W. E. Bennett, both friends of the deceased.

CAMPBELL.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Campbell, who passed away last Wednesday, took place yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and friends were in attendance and there were many beautiful flowers. T. H. Maynard officiated and the hymns sung were "Abide With Me," "Peace, Perfect Peace," and "The Sands of Time Are Sinking." The pallbearers were Alex. Stewart, C. Campbell, A. Stewart, E. H. Hanbury, D. W. Hanbury and C. E. Hanbury. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

FOSTER.—Thus passed away yesterday, at 1211 Dallas Street, Robert Foster, aged sixty-one years. Mr. Foster was born at Durham, England, and came to this city three years ago from West Virginia. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, residing at Dallmann Street, one sister, Mrs. Grant, of this city, also two sisters and three brothers in England. Funeral service will be held Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MEDICAL MEN OF DOMINION NAME LEADER

Dr. W. Harvey Smith, of Winnipeg, New President of Canadian Ass'n

1932 CONVENTION IN ENGLAND IS MOOTED

WINNIPEG, Aug. 23.—Dr. W. Harvey Smith, distinguished Winnipeg physician and retiring president of the British Medical Association, today was elected president of the Canadian Medical Association in convention here.

Dr. A. P. Munro, of Vancouver, was named president-elect for 1931, while Dr. F. S. Patch, Montreal, was elected honorary treasurer, and Dr. T. C. Routley, of Toronto, was re-elected general secretary.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Members elected to the executive committee follow: Drs. T. Glen Hamilton, Winnipeg; A. Primrose, Montreal; E. J. Myers, Saskatoon; J. G. Fitzgerald, Toronto; Leon Gerin Lajoie, Montreal; J. S. McEachern, Calgary; J. C. Meakins, Montreal; George S. Courtin, Toronto; L. J. Austin, Kingston, and C. J. Vessie, Bathurst, N.B.

Council meetings of the Canadian Medical Association, in annual convention, continued here today as final preparations were made for the opening of the British Medical Association meeting on Tuesday.

It is the sixty-first meeting of the Canadian association, but the meetings concern council members only, the regular programme having been merged with that of the British Association convention.

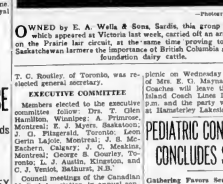
HEALTH INSURANCE

The council members discussed various routine business matters, and also dealt with the problem of health insurance. Reports were received from provincial members of the council, and it was decided to refer the question of health insurance to the committee of economics for further study and report.

There is a possibility that the Canadian association will hold a meeting in London, England, during the centenary of the British association in 1932. Plans for such a meeting were tentatively discussed.

On Monday the medical associations of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will open their annual sessions here.

Blue-Blooded Ayrshires



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OWNED by E. A. Wells & Sons, Sardis, this group of Ayrshires, which appeared at Victoria last week, carried off an array of ribbons on the Prairie fair circuit, at the same time proving to Alberta and Saskatchewan farmers the importance of British Columbia as a centre for foundation dairy stock.

STATES PEACE MUST BE BASED UPON JUSTICE

Rt. Hon. Lord Tomlin Sounds New Note on International Good Will

AMERICAN BAR HEARS SPEAKER AT PARLEY

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—A new note in international peace was sounded last night as the American Bar association ended its Chicago convention.

Addressing the closing banquet, at which Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes was the honor guest, the Rt. Hon. Lord Tomlin said there could be no peace that is not based on justice.

"You are a great nation of great ideals," Lord Tomlin said. "Peace is very near your heart—not the mere absence of war, but peace in the broadest sense. There can be no peace not founded on justice and no justice that is not based on the principals of the laws and the courts."

Yesterday afternoon Chief Justice Hughes entertained Viscount Dunedin and other dignitaries in William Wrigley's box at the baseball game between the Chicago Cubs and the New York Giants. It was the visitor's first major league ball game.

The 1931 convention will be in Atlantic City on September 16, 17 and 18.

TWO SLAIN AT MEETING

AVERILLA, Pa., Aug. 23.—Two men were shot to death here tonight at what authorities described as a Klan-Vanzetti meeting, and state police and county officers were seeking the killer, whose identity was undetermined.

The meeting, held on a vacant lot near town, broke up in disorder, according to Coroner William B. Bakar, who said the dead are the dead are George Rainoff, thirty-three, of Cross Creek Township, and that the second man was unidentified.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

AUGUST 1930

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time at Victoria, B.C. for the month of August, 1930.

	Sun-rise	Sun-set		Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	4.46	7.16	16	5.11	7.01
2	4.46	7.15	17	5.12	7.00
3	4.47	7.14	18	5.13	6.59
4	4.48	7.13	19	5.14	6.58
5	4.49	7.12	20	5.15	6.57
6	4.50	7.11	21	5.16	6.56
7	4.51	7.10	22	5.17	6.54
8	4.52	7.09	23	5.18	6.53
9	4.53	7.08	24	5.19	6.52
10	4.54	7.07	25	5.20	6.51
11	4.55	7.06	26	5.21	6.49
12	4.56	7.05	27	5.22	6.48
13	4.57	7.04	28	5.23	6.47
14	4.58	7.03	29	5.24	6.46
15	4.59	7.02	30	5.25	6.44
			31	5.26	6.43

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CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyros luncheon in Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.
TUESDAY—Kiwanis luncheon in Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.
WEDNESDAY—Rotarians visit Port Angeles; Kumtuks Club holds box picnic.
THURSDAY—Rotarians luncheon in Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.

W. B. Lanigan, general freight traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will be the speaker at next Thursday's luncheon meeting of the Victoria Rotary Club. The subject suggested for Mr. Lanigan's address is "The Place of Quebec in Canadian History." Mr. Lanigan is known to be a man well qualified to deal with a subject of this nature and his address is being looked forward to with pleasure by Rotarians.

Members of the Rotary Club will also visit Port Angeles next Wednesday by special C.P.R. excursion. The object of this trip is to repay the recent visit of the Port Angeles club to this city.

Following last Monday's address on "International Conditions," by F. B. Pooley, there will be present near J. R. Scoby on "The History of Banking." Mr. Scoby has been heard upon this subject upon previous occasions and his address was always greeted—"uddersike interest.

Harold Diggon will address Tuesday's luncheon of the Kiwanis Club upon the details of the forthcoming Kiwanis convention. J large attendance is expected at the luncheon.

The Kumtuks Club will hold a box picnic on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. G. Maynard, Elk Lake. Coaches will leave the Vancouver Island Coach Lines Depot at 1.15 p.m. and the party will disembark at Hamerlery Lakeside.

PEDIATRIC CONGRESS CONCLUDES SESSIONS

Gathering Favors Sending Suggestion of Chicago Professor to League of Nations

By BIGEN BONNSHOLDT
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STOCKHOLM, Aug. 22.—Unanimously adopting a resolution suggested by Professor Emeritus Hugo Hayes Hess, of Chicago, the International Pediatric Congress, attended by more than 500 child disease specialists from many nations, ended its sessions here yesterday. The resolution read:

"This congress agrees with Prof. Hess, of Chicago, in his suggestion that a general standard of unity should be created for antirachitic by means of D vitamines, both with regard to its therapeutic and toxicology. The congress therefore suggests the submission of a suggestion to that effect by the Swiss medical authorities to the League of Nations."

Prof. Hess, who heads the Department of Pediatrics of the University of Illinois College of Medicine, delivered the opening lecture of the congress last Monday. The gathering was followed with the greatest interest here, and Prince Gustaf Adolf attended several of its meetings.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

AUGUST

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time at Victoria, B.C., for the month of August, 1930.

Date	Rise	Set
1	1.32 p.m.	11.51 p.m.
2	(First Quarter on 2nd)	
3	2.08 p.m.	11.57 p.m.
4	2.44 p.m.	
5	3.19 p.m.	
6	3.60 p.m.	0.52 a.m.
7	4.44 p.m.	1.39 a.m.
8	5.34 p.m.	2.33 a.m.
9	6.29 p.m.	3.26 a.m.
10	7.11 p.m.	4.46 a.m.
11	(Full Moon on 10th)	
12	8.44 p.m.	5.56 a.m.
13	9.19 p.m.	6.46 a.m.
14	9.50 p.m.	7.31 a.m.
15	10.19 p.m.	8.14 a.m.
16	10.49 p.m.	8.57 a.m.
17	11.20 p.m.	9.41 a.m.
18	(Last Quarter on 17th)	
19	11.54 p.m.	10.31 p.m.
20		11.23 p.m.
21	0.18 a.m.	0.25 a.m.
22	1.31 a.m.	0.33 a.m.
23	2.44 a.m.	0.39 a.m.
24	3.54 a.m.	0.45 a.m.
25	4.54 a.m.	0.50 a.m.
26	(New Moon on 24th)	
27	7.11 a.m.	0.59 a.m.
28	8.23 a.m.	0.74 p.m.
29	9.33 a.m.	2.12 p.m.
30	10.39 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
31	11.39 a.m.	4.50 p.m.
1	12.34 p.m.	6.09 p.m.
2	1.24 p.m.	7.26 p.m.
3	2.09 p.m.	10.00 p.m.

Note—Those times are correct to within one or two minutes.

COHOS CONTINUE TO AFFORD GREAT SPORT

Large Number of Fish in Unusually Excellent Condition Now Being Caught

Cohoes are continuing to run in ever-increasing quantities, according to reports received at the end of last week, and excellent sport is to be obtained all round the southeastern coast of Vancouver Island. Although no reports of record weights in cohoes have come to hand this year, as yet, the average fish being killed are running a good size and show excellent condition.

Good results are being obtained with Nos. 4 and 5 spoons, and anglers are light, the fish running close to the surface. Some sportsmen aver that the best fun may be had by using a light fly rod, a very small sinker and a small melt on the hook.

Just as the condition of the cohoes seems to be above the average this year, that of the grilse being caught at the present time is reported to have fallen off to a certain extent. Grilse, however, are still being caught in large quantities.

Work on Highway Relief Camps to Be Started Soon

REGINA, Aug. 23.—Work on the Provincial Government scheme of highway relief camps is to be commenced immediately, according to a telegram received from Hon. A. C. Stewart, Minister of Highways, who is on his way back from the employment conference just concluded in Ottawa. Camps are to be established and the various highway projects as announced under the $500,000 scheme are to be started.

Camp equipment is to be obtained from the Federal Department of National Defence but it is expected that men in the camps will supply their own bedding. As a man accumulates the sum of $100 he will be relieved so that all can benefit under the scheme. By this means all in need of relief will be enabled to obtain it, a reduced rate of labour assuring that no one person will obtain more than another.

Each of the camps to be established will accommodate about forty men and 120 horses, local labor only being employed.

COMMISSION IN ONTARIO URGES MANY CHANGES

Suggests Expenditure of Millions on Improvement of Charitable Institutions

SAYS PRISON SYSTEM SHOULD BE OVERHAULED

TORONTO, Aug. 23.—The Province of Ontario is invited to spend between $20,000,000 and $30,000,000 in the extension and improvement of its charitable and corrective institutions, in the report which the rural commission on public welfare, appointed last October, has submitted to the Provincial Government. The report, signed by the three commissioners, P. D. Ross, Ottawa, chairman; D. M. Wright, M.P., Stratford, and Dr. J. M. McCutcheon, Toronto, contains findings and recommendations based upon months of valuable and intensive study.

Steps are urged to secure legislation for the sterilization of criminal or moral defectives, science and statistics being quoted to show that much crime is traceable to physical or mental deficiency. The jails of the provinces are found "inferior in nearly every sense of the word, crowded and without the desirable age and type segregation." Retention of the system of suspended sentences and probation periods is advocated.

SHOULD BE PUBLIC CHARGE

The general hospitals, it is submitted, "should be a complete charge upon public funds, either provincial or municipal."

Another important recommendation concerns the establishment of a department of public welfare to strengthen Government supervision of the social and corrective institutions and agencies. It is suggested the department might include a minister and his deputy and, the commissioners add, more as a test than as a concrete recommendation, directors of mental hygiene, psychiatry and research work, child welfare, adult relief, handicapped children, the adult corrective institutions, juvenile delinquents, a director of supplies and products and a director of inspection.

Another change in the present system favored by the commissioners is the placing of the supervision of hospitals and general physical health under the Department of Public Health now existing instead of leaving them under the control of the Provincial Secretary's Department. It is remarked that the natural connection on hospitals and sanitariums would seem to be with the Department of Public Health.

Asylums are believed to have spent nearly $20,000,000 in Germany this year.

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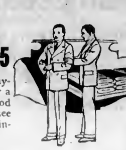

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Robbers Get $150

NORTH VANCOUVER, Aug. 23.—Robbers who, on Friday night, broke into the store of W. F. Smith, Limited, tobacconist, Lonsdale Avenue, took $150 in cash, according to a police report. Admittance was gained through the back door, the panel of which had been removed and the lock broken.

HORSE SHOW IS GREAT SUCCESS

Finest Quality of Entries Made at Willows Fair Since War

CLEVER RIDING IS SEEN

Victoria horse lovers must have thoroughly enjoyed the horse show put on Wednesday and Thursday nights at the Willows. There has been nothing to equal it since the days of the Spring horse shows before the war.

By arrangement with the fair officials the management was taken over by a committee consisting of Mrs Dugald Gillespie, Mrs. H. A. Garrett, J. R. Scoby and Major Spurgin.

The classes were well filled with a very fine type of horseflesh, and there were many outside entries. Miss Price, of Duncan; Miss Waldy and Mr. Annandale, of Cowichan; Major Macdonald, of Sidney, and others from Vancouver and Washington supported the show.

Victoria was well represented by the Riding Academy's string of useful hunters and saddle horses. Noticeably the finest horse in the show was Mrs. Dugald Gillespie's thoroughbred Amber Crest, who made his debut in the show ring. He was very well handled by Miss Elisabeth Garrett in the saddle class and easily carried off the first ribbon.

Mr. Scoby was a most efficient ringmaster, bringing his classes in well on time and finishing the programmes both evenings soon after 10 o'clock. Some very fine jumping was witnessed and the spectators enjoyed seeing Mrs. Dugald Gillespie back again in the ring. With her well-known skill as an equestrienne she carried off many of the highest honors.

The most difficult jumping course in the show was the performance class on Thursday night. It was greatly to young Richard Garrett's credit that he carried off the first ribbon, riding Rosie, putting up a wonderful performance. Mrs. Gillespie on Nevada took second ribbon, and Mr. Annandale on Big Boy, third.

Special mention should be made of the children's pony class. There were over a dozen entries, and the young riders showed exceptional skill in handling their mounts, Virginia Graham and Joan Humphreys winning first and second ribbons. The horse committee, it is felt, must be much encouraged by the support received from the public, and it is a safe prediction that the new horse show building will be taxed to capacity next year.

Germany Unwilling To Discuss Tariffs

WARSAW, Poland, Aug. 22.—The Polish Government received from the German Government on August 7 a refusal to discuss new and higher German tariffs on farm products, which have affected Poland's exports.

Poland sent a note on June 14 asking for conversations to straighten out the difficulties.

FINED FOR SETTING FIRES

PRINCE GEORGE, Aug. 23.—Before Magistrate P. G. Moran today Stearns McNeil, of Salmon Valley, B.C., was convicted for setting out fires for clearing land without a permit and was fined $25.

Scions of Horse World

These Handsome Dapple-Grey Percherons Delighted All Lovers of Horses at the Exhibition Last Week.

ONTARIO LEGION PLANS BUREAU

Would Establish Adjustment Service, Using Money From Canteen Funds

BACKS LABOR INSURANCE

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 23.—Payments from canteen funds of money sufficient to maintain an adjustment bureau established by the legion, was advocated yesterday by delegates of Ontario Command Canadian Legion, in convention here. Trustees were instructed to this effect.

The fund at present amounts to $1,012,000, Major Alex Lewis, Ontario, secretary-treasurer of the fund in Ontario, announced. The active income and a portion of the capital is being expended each year, he reported.

Government officials advised trustees of the fund they could not legally divert canteen funds for adjustment bureau activities, he added. It was admitted it was being done in Quebec, but there is no authority for the action.

In a resolution the delegates asked Federal authorities to seriously consider unemployment insurance with a provision that any trade union or industry may be permitted to introduce any supplementary scheme. Position of war veterans in provincial institutions for the feeble minded, with respect to the new War Veterans' Allowance Act, came in for some consideration. A resolution was passed asking these men be declared as permanently unemployable and entitled to the benefits of the act.

LETTER CARRIERS HOLD CONVENTION

A. Blackmore Returns After Attending Important Business Gathering at Calgary

A. Blackmore, Victoria's delegate to the recent convention of the Federated Association of Letter Carriers, reported upon arrival that much important business had been transacted at the gathering which was held in Calgary at the Palliser Hotel.

A civic welcome was given by Mayor A. Davison, of Calgary, and a welcome was also extended by G. D. Stanley, M.P., who represented Premier Bennett.

Among other matters discussed were those dealing with salaries, the distribution of unaddressed advertising matter to residences and the question of charging higher postage rates on American magazines.

D. W. Rehder, of London, Ont., was elected president, and a presentation was made to Alexander McMordie, who has been secretary-treasurer for many years. The delegates were entertained at a banquet by the letter carriers of Calgary.

Aaron Sapiro Acts As Counsel Against Dairy Co-operative

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—A request that the Federal Farm Board suspend its $4,000,000 loan to the Dairymen's League has been made by Aaron Sapiro, counsel for the Harlem and Bronx Milk Dealers' Association, who charges the league plans to use the fund to acquire control of the city's wholesale milk business.

The league, a co-operative organization of 45,000 farmers, sells 50 per cent of the milk used in the city. Sapiro's organization of independents comprises about 7 per cent of the wholesalers. A state investigation of a price increase of nearly 25 per cent put into effect by the Dairymen's League, is under way.

Violated Parking Rule

A. G. Atkinson, pleading guilty to the violation of the parking regulations, was fined $5 in the police court yesterday morning. He parked too near a fire hydrant.

How One Woman Lost 47 Pounds of Fat

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"P.S.—You may think I am exaggerating by writing such a long letter, but truly I feel so indebted to you for putting out such wonderful salts that I cannot say enough." (Advt.)

City & District

Heather Day—Headquarters for Heather Day on Tuesday, August 26, will be at 403 Broad Street, next door to The Colonist office.

A Timely Gift—In response to a letter in last Sunday's Colonist, written by recent visitors and setting forth the need of the Queen Alexandra Solarium of an X-ray machine, an anonymous donor has contributed the sum of $500 toward such purchase. The money has been set aside for this purpose, as requested.

Addition to Hospital—A permit was issued Saturday to the board of managers of the Royal Jubilee Hospital for the construction of a one-story addition to the hospital. The new addition is to be known as the tuberculosis ward and will cost approximately $23,000. E. Hume is the contractor and C. E. Watkins the architect.

Grows Hybrid Berry—With reference to a recent story from Vancouver regarding a new hybrid loganberry grown by A. E. Dann, of Hatzic, it is pointed out by Arthur Mallett, of Church Street, Victoria, that he also grows the black logan, some specimens of which he has sent to The Colonist. Mr. Mallett states that he has grown this type of hybrid berry for the past three years with considerable success.

Entertain Alpine Club—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrison entertained the members of the Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada yesterday afternoon at their home at the Uplands. About forty attended and the time was pleasantly passed wandering about the attractive garden and discussing with Mr. Harrison, the outings convener, the forthcoming season's programme, which will open with a three-day camp at the Lake of the Seven Hills next week-end. The reception rooms were beautiful with flowers, the teatable, at which Mrs. K. M. Chadwick and Mrs. Hugh Mackenzie presided, being decorated with a great bowl of phlox in all the pastel shades.

Children's Outing — Under the guidance of Joseph North, children from the Protestant Orphans' Home and the Children's Aid Society spent an enjoyable time at the Provincial Fair last Friday. The outing was made possible through the generosity of the following firms and individuals: David Spencer, Limited, Golden West Bakery, Rennie & Taylor, Shelly Bakery, Cornwell's Bakery, Norrington Bakery, Poodle Dog Cafe, James Adam, Ryan-Wilson, Kelly, Douglas & Co., Hoyle & Brown, McFarlane Drug Co., Pearce, Erickson & Hill, Old English Beverage Co., Crystal Spring Soda Water, Coca Cola Co., Central Creameries, Victoria City Dairy, Vancouver Island Transportation Co., Central Transfer, W. H. Mearns, Browning Amusement Co. and Al. Fielding.

Fox Evangelistic Party At Foursquare Church

For the past two weeks the Fox Evangelistic Party of Washington has conducted a successful crusade in the Foursquare Church here. Interested crowds have been in attendance. The party, consisting of four, presents a programme each night, Lorne F. Fox, musician and pianist, playing several instruments, with Miss Jessie I. Brown as song director and soloist, also Miss Fox, the evangelist, an accomplished musician. They have presented programmes that have proved quite interesting and enjoyable to the audiences.

"The Pilot of Galilee" will be the theme of the closing Sunday evening message today of Evangelist M. Ethel Fox.

In other cities this message of sermon and song has been given and received with great enthusiasm and interest. The older melodies used in the service largely dwell upon the lifework of the "Pilot of Galilee."

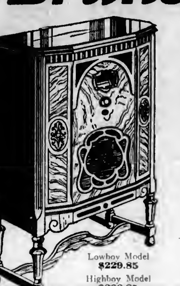
The eager congregations have listened expectantly to the unique and spiritual messages of the evangel from night to night, and it is generally felt that the Evangelistic Crusade has been successful and uplifting to the church.

BABY DIRIGIBLE USED TO CARRY NEWSPAPERS

TORONTO, Aug. 23.—Something new in the way of newspaper distribution was accomplished today when a "baby Zeppelin" from Akron, Ohio, floated over the city and by means of a rope and grapnel secured a quantity of newspapers from the roof of a downtown newspaper skyscraper. The blimp soared away to the Canadian National Exhibition grounds and dropped the papers, which sold like the traditional "hot cakes."

FINGER-PRINT METHOD

Adoption by the police forces of America and Europe of the new method of classifying and coding finger-prints, the invention of Chief Inspector Harry Batley of Scotland Yard, is expected to revolutionize the system. It has done so at the London Police Department. Batley is head of the finger-print department of Scotland Yard. The worldwide adoption of this new method will come into existence whereby an officer will be able within two minutes to pick out his man from the millions of fingerprints in the various police headquarters. In the old method ten impressions of a criminal's finger print were kept in the records. The new method enables identification from a single print, by the use of a special glass.



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LARGE CROWD BUYS AT CITY MARKET

Stalls Sold Out in Good Time — Season for Cut Lavender Now Over

As a result of the large attendance at the early morning sales, most of the stalls at the city market were practically cleared out by noon yesterday. A great many flowers were sold, particularly gladioli and sweet peas.

Fish and meat sales were only fair, since most of the city residents are still camping. However, the stallkeepers expect that their sales will increase next month with the return of campers to the city.

A very fine assortment of home-made candy was to be found at the candy stall, including fudges of all kinds, creme de menthe and chocolate-coated marzipan.

At one stall yesterday there were some fine King Alfred daffodil bulbs for sale at 20c each. This is their first appearance on the market this year and they are an excellent type for cultivating in the house.

Yesterday saw the end of the last week for cut lavender. Dried lavender is still obtainable at the reasonable price of $2.50 per pound.

Other prices were as follows:

Eggs—B.C. fresh pullet extras, 31c per dozen; B.C. fresh extras, 34c per dozen.

Poultry—Light and heavy boiling fowl, 25c and 30c per pound; roasting chicken, 35c per pound.

Meat—Pork, 25c, 30c and 35c per pound; lamb, 30c to 40c per pound; veal, 15c to 35c per pound; beef, 10c to 32c per pound.

Vegetables—Carrots, 5c per bunch; cauliflower, 10c each; marrow, 10c, 15c and 20c each; tomatoes, 2 pounds for 25c; mint, 5c per bunch; parsley, 5c per bunch; water cress, 5c per bunch; lettuce, 5c each; spinach, 10c per pound; beets, 3 bunches for 10c; cucumbers, 5c each; potatoes, 10 pounds for 25c; beans, 3 pounds for 25c; local Spanish onions, 6 pounds for 25c; gherkins, 2 pounds for 25c; peppers, 20c pound.

Fish—White Spring salmon, 15c per pound, red salmon, 12c per pound, cod fillets, 15c per pound; red Spring salmon, 25c per pound; smoked black cod, 25c per pound; kippered salmon, 25c per pound; ling cod fillets, 15c per pound; local (fat) kippers, 2 pounds for 25c.

Fruit—Blackberries, 3 boxes, 15c; jam plums, 40c basket; hothouse grapes, 45c per pound; rhubarb, 5c per bunch; peach plums, 15c per pound; apples, 5c per pound.

Candy—Victoria fudge, 30c per pound; chocolate-coated marzipan, 40c per pound.

LUCIAN WOLF, AUTHOR, SUCCUMBS IN LONDON

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Lucian Wolf, author, died here today.

Lucian Wolf, who was seventy-three years old, was noted as a newspaper man and for his writings on Jewish topics. He also figured in international politics, representing the Anglo-Jewish community at the Paris Peace Conference in 1919, and obtained minorities treaties with Poland, Rumania, Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and Greece.

His principal positions in the newspaper field were as foreign editor of The London Daily Graphic from 1890 to 1909 and as editorial writer on The Jewish World from 1874 to 1893. Most of his books dealt with Jews in British and world affairs.

LOW RENT

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Announcements

Rotary Wants Girls — 100 additional girls wanted for rehearsal at Chamber of Commerce, Monday night at 7:30, to assist in Rotary Pageant of Nations of 300 girls at Armories, September 24, 25, 26, 27. Delightful and beneficial training by Mr. Basanta, late Director of Physical Education at Halifax for nine years, and at Summer School, Victoria. Director of pageant of 1,000 girls before an audience of 35,000 at Halifax under the auspices of the City of Halifax. Funds for Solarium and Rotary Community Service Work. Help the Rotary Club help the crippled child.

Masters' Bakery has long held a reputation that is a household byword. Cakes for party, tea or picnic hold the fresh deliciousness that appeals to all. Made from the finest materials by the most modern methods, they combine purity and flavor in the product of an independent bakery.

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By-the-Sea Kindergarten, 192 St. Charles Street, reopens September 2 at 9:30 for pre-school-age children. Classes conducted by Mrs. Naismith, experienced kindergartener. Phone 4468L.

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SHETLAND GETS LIFEBOAT

The first lifeboat ever in the Shetland Islands was received recently with great enthusiasm by the people of Lerwick. Vessels blew their sirens, civic representatives were on the pier, and a brass band was playing. The craft is a motor vessel capable of 1,000 miles' cruising radius and will accommodate 100 persons in an emergency.

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Women's Work and Institutes

Island Social Notes

Deep Cove

Miss Deane has returned to her home, Harriet Road, Victoria, after a two-weeks' visit at the Cove as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Downey at their home on Downeys Road.

Miss Nichols left this week for Saskatchewan after the past number of years spent here.

Miss Beach, of the Resthaven staff, will leave shortly for Vancouver.

Dr. Samuel W. Leiske, medical superintendent of Resthaven, has left for a vacation. During the time the doctor will be away he plans to attend the meeting of the British Medical Association, which will be held from August 26 to 29 at Winnipeg. During his absence Dr. Orville Rockwell will take his appointments.

Rev. A. K. Morse and Mrs. Morse, of Vancouver, spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hall.

Mr Frank Hill returned to Kimberley after a visit of two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hill.

Misses Ruth and Jane McIlmoyl, accompanied by their aunt, Miss Mills, of Prince Rupert, and friends from Victoria, returned on Wednesday from Nanaimo.

Mr. Roddie Herrin returned to his home in Victoria, after the past two months as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McIlmoyl.

Mr. and Mrs. Stirling and family moved this week from Bazan Bay to Mr. A. W. Holland's house, "The Orchard," Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Nicholet have as their guests, Mr. Nicholet's sister, Mrs. Bordignon and daughters, of Kamloops.

Mr. R. M. Hall, of Winnipeg, spent the week with his brother, E. R. Hill.

Mr. J. S. Hemming, who has sold his home on the East Road, left this week with his family for Nanaimo to make his future home.

Mr and Mrs. J. A. Nunn, of Centre Road, have as their guest Mrs. Stainton, of Vancouver.

Miss Oleason, who has been the guest of Miss M. Clark for the past two weeks returned to her home in Victoria.

Royal Oak

Mr and Mrs. J. E. Kilty have returned from a delightful motor trip to Up-Island points, where they were the guests of Dr and Mrs. Clemence, Victoria. The party spent a week at Qualicum, stopping also at Comox, Courtenay and Cameron Lake.

Miss Mugford, who has spent two months in California, has returned, and is with her mother at their Summer cottage, Cordova Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. L. Watson, Trochu, Alta., are guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curson, Lindsay Avenue.

Mrs. Corderoy and two daughters, the Misses Phyllis and Margary Corderoy, Chilliwack, are guests of Major L. H. and Mrs. McQueen.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stokes and daughter, Lilian, have returned from a three months' trip to England, and are settling in the district.

Mr. F. Towler has returned to Tofino, after two weeks' vacation spent with his family on Hallburton Road.

Mrs. Norman Nelson returned this week from California, where she spent two months.

Shirley

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, of Malahat Farm, have as their guests this week, Mrs. Stephens and family and Mrs. Adie.

Mrs. E. Bayley, Victoria, was a recent visitor to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lidstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Victoria, have been visitors at Malahat this week.

On Tuesday a number of young friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Anderson, to mark the occasion of their little daughter, Audrey's sixth birthday. They spent a most enjoyable time with games, etc., until the serving of refreshments. There were present, Billy and Judy Stephens, Irena, Evelyn, Hazel and Gladys Clark, Marion and Audrey Anderson.

Inspector May was a visitor to Shirley this week on business connected with school affairs.

Mrs. M. A. Clark and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Olivar, Royal Oak, for a few days.

Cowichan Bay

Judge John Perry Wood, accompanied by Mrs. Wood and their two sons, spent a few days at the Inn en route from Alaska to their home in Pasadena, Cal.

Miss Lucy Wells and her nieces, the Misses Lavender and Joyce Cornwell, have left for their home in Kamloops after spending the Summer at the Inn.

Miss Maisie Stuart, of the Carnegie Library staff in Calgary, is spending a short holiday at the Inn.

Port Alberni

Miss Frances Strain has been visiting at Headquarters for the past week, and is the guest of Mrs. Robert Martin.

Capt. and Mrs. C. McLean Fry, with their daughter, Betty, have returned after spending a short time visiting in Victoria.

Mr. H. A. Hansen has returned to his home here after spending the past few days in Victoria, where he attended the exhibition.

Miss Helen MacDonald entertained at her home, Sixth Avenue, Tuesday evening. Those present were Mrs. Clifford Lee, Mrs. E. Coulthard, Miss LeNore La Blanc, Mrs. Harold Haynes, Miss Nell Burke, Miss Anna Burke and Miss Nan McCranor.

Miss Constance Martin, of Headquarters, is visiting here and is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Strain.

In honor of her niece, Miss Georgina Curran, Mrs. Gordon Campbell entertained with a children's party at her home on Seventh Avenue, on Saturday afternoon. The guests invited were Miss Arlee Wood, Miss Thelma Donnelly, Miss Verna Proctor, Miss Francis Strain, Miss Jean Brown, Miss Peggy Griffiths and Miss Betty Pine.

Miss E. M. Reed, R.N., district nurse from the Christie Indian School, Kakawis, V.I., spent the past few days in this city, leaving on Friday aboard Princess Norah for points down the canal.

Brentwood

Miss Ruth Nelson, of Vancouver, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ward, Marchant's Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Harcus, and children, of Vancouver, are spending a holiday at the home of Mrs. Harcus' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomson.

Mr. W. A. Wallace is spending a few days in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Dashney, formerly Miss May Hole, whose marriage took place recently in Marshfield, Ore., are visiting Mrs. Dashney's parents, Mr. and Mrs A. E. Hole, Clarke Avenue, for a few days, before leaving for Vancouver and Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, and son, have returned to their home in Seattle after spending a holiday with Mrs. Wheeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Atkins, Verdier Avenue.

Miss Ruth Stewart has returned to her home at Tod Inlet after spending the past few weeks in Seattle.

Mrs. James McLeave, and son, of Bamberton, were the recent guests of Mr and Mrs. F. Tomlinson, Tomlinson Road.

Miss Anne Parsell, who has been spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Parsell, Benvenuto Avenue, is leaving on Tuesday for Pouce Coupe, where she has been appointed teacher.

Langford

Mr. and Mrs. W Fielding, of Cheshire, England, are arriving to spend the Winter with Mr. Fielding's sister, Mrs. N. O. Johnston, Langford Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. George Savory and family and Miss M. Stewart, who have been staying on the Millstream Road for a holiday, have returned to their home in Victoria.

Mrs. Harry Catterall, of Langford Lake, is spending a week at Orcas Island.

Miss Bessy Milne is visiting Mrs. Laura Catterall at Leigh Road.

Details Which Are New

Marriage Solemnized Last Night

A quiet wedding was solemnized last night at the residence of the groom's parents, Englemere, Saanich Road, when Rev. F. W. McKinnon, pastor of Douglas Street Baptist Church, united in marriage Mrs. Lily Pulver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Holgate, "Hillcrest," Saanich Road, to Mr. Ernest George Hick, Saanich Road. The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked charming in a dress of delphinium blue with collar and cuffs of georgette, her corsage bouquet consisting of mauve and pink sweet peas. The groom's sister, Miss Marguerite Hick, was bridesmaid and wore a dress of blue chenille velvet, with hat to match. Mr. William Provan was best man. Little Mildred Hicks acted as flower girl, carrying a basket of sweet peas.

Following the ceremony a quiet informal reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, where the bride and groom received the good wishes of their friends under an arch of sweet peas and a wedding bell. The supper table, which was centred with a handsome three-tier wedding cake, was decorated with bases of mauve and pink flowers. The bride and groom were assisted in receiving the guests by the bride's mother, Mrs. Holgate, who was gowned in a dress of black flat crepe, trimmed with green and white, and hat to match, and Mrs. George Hick, the groom's mother, who wore an ensemble suit of flowered chenille velvet and hat to match. The many presents received by the young couple included a handsome tea tray and carving set of silver knives and forks from the Reeve and staff at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, where the bride had been employed.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Hick left on the midnight boat for Vancouver, where the honeymoon will be spent. The bride traveled in a lavender silk jersey suit opening over a blouse of georgette, with hat of transparent mohair embroidered in pastel shades. On their return they will reside at McKenzie Avenue, Saanich.

Plans Banquet

NANAIMO, Aug. 23.—At the home of Mrs. Frank Reynolds, Wallace Street, an executive meeting of Nanaimo Local Council of Women was held to complete arrangements for the banquet to be held in the Hotel Malaspina, September 18, in honor of the Provincial Council delegates. The officers of the council will be the reception committee. Mrs. W. W. Lewis and Mrs. Spencer volunteered their services as the placing committee, in addition to committees previously named. Mrs. Burt was instructed to notify affiliated societies that each organization will be given an option on five seats at the banquet up until September 10, after which date the waiting list will be considered and tickets sold to the public. She was instructed to write Mayor Hall to be present in a seat of honor to officially welcome the visitors, also Mrs. Hall. Other patrons to be invited are Mr. George Pearson, M.P.P.; C. M. Dickie, M.P., with their wives and the city council and their wives. Chairmen of all affiliated societies will have seats of honor and also past presidents of the council. Refreshments were served following the business session.

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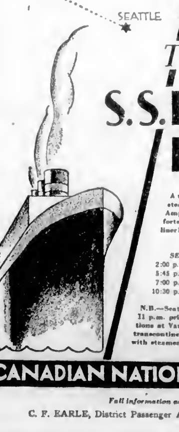

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Tea at Empress

Among those noticed during the tea hour at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon were Miss Alma Russell, Mrs. J. S. Plaskett, Mrs. Harry Plaskett, Cambridge, Mass., Mme. Preiswerck, Mrs. H. B. Turpin, Mrs. Mosher, Mr. and Mrs. Jameson, Dr. A. G. Macrae, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Gilbert, Mrs. Wickersham, Boise City, Idaho; Dr. Helen Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walsh, Miss Dorothy Greenwood, Mrs. E. C. Hayward, Mrs. Rerbert Kent, Mr. and Mrs. D S. Tait, Miss Sheila Tait, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Towler, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Mrs. Stovell, Mrs. Clarke Gill, Vancouver; the Misses Gill, Mrs. (Dr.) Ross, Drumheller; Mrs Riley Gilbert, Mrs. R. S. Blandy, Mrs. R. A. Brown, Mrs. Fuller, Toronto; Mrs. William Oliphant, Mrs. Gordon Smith, Miss Hilda Grout, Mrs. M. S. Wheatley, Mrs. Wilson Jones, Mrs. H. C. Carey, Mrs. D. McHaffie, Mrs. Sydney Barker, Miss Ines Carey, Mrs. Flumerfelt, Mrs. H. J. Wilson, Mrs. Darling, Mrs. W. J. Denny, Miss Spencer., Mrs. G. McCulloch, Miss Beryl McCullough, Madame Stavrakov, Mrs. R. B. Mosher, Mrs. Tillman, Mrs. Emery, Mrs. A. Kent, Mrs. M. Jameson, Mrs. Llewelyn Jones, Captain and Mrs. Wilson Jones, Mrs. P. W. Bluett, Stockton, Calif.; Miss Margaret Meredith, California; Captain Pelmer, Mr. Temberlay, Mrs. A. B. Brown, Miss Oliphant, Mrs. J. Shields, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. J. Newcombe, England; Mr. R. C. Young, Quebec; Miss Chalmers, Mrs. J. Cameron, Mrs. P. Barry, Mr. H. J. Baker, Mrs. H. J. Snelling, Mrs. A. H. Mitchell, Mrs. M. G. Moore, Miss Moran, Miss Dawson, Mrs. McKenzie, Saskatoon; Mrs. Young, California; Mrs. H. P. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrew and others.

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Entertain Friends

Miss Helen Bolt entertained a few of her friends at her home, 303 Michigan Street, recently with a bridge and court whist party. Miss Mae Innes and Miss Mona McDonald were the winners of the first prizes, and Miss Dorothy Mountain and Miss Beckie Bourne won the consolation prizes. The invited guests were Mrs. J. Hanbury, Mrs M. P. Runter and Misses Beckie Bourne (Vancouver), Mae Innes, "Toots" McPherson, Evelyn MacDonald, Elma Innes, Edith McDonald, Orace Copas, Marie Sjolander, Jean Cocken, Alice Churchill, Mona McDonald, Dorothy Mountain, Kay Nesbitt, Agnes Nesbitt, Betty O'Brien, Iris Sheret, Gertrude Carter and Jessie McQueen.

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Birthday Party

Miss Lulu Bond was hostess at a party on Wednesday night for her mother in honor of her birthday. The evening was spent in games, refreshments being served later in the evening. The table was decorated in pink and centred with a silver basket filled with pink dahlias. The invited guests were as follows: Misses Pearl Findlay, Mae Findlay, Iona Bond, Carol Bond, Mrs. Stratford, Mrs. Groutage, Mrs. Griffith, Mrs. Durrell, Mrs. L. Jones, Mr. A. Bond, Mr. Fred Bate, Mr. Ray Hunt, Mr. A. Bond (Jr.), Mr. and Mrs. Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bond and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pugh.

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Miscellaneous Shower

A miscellaneous shower was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Burnside Road, in honor of Miss Louise Hartley, a bride-elect. The marriage will take place in September. The gifts were presented on a decorated wagon, drawn into the room by Masters Kenneth Thomas and Eric Coles. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hartley, Mrs. G. H. Hartley, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coles, Mr. and Mrs. A. Coles, Mr. and Mrs. George Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. L. Elves, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jonnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dangerfield, Mr. and Mrs. R. English, Mrs. A. Osborne, Mrs. MacPhee, Misses Jean Dunagon, Dorothy Cliff, Lillian Roach, and Messrs. C. Thomas, Jr., Eric Philbrook, Master Kenneth Thomas and Master Eric Coles.

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Visitors Here

Mr and Mrs. William Acason, of Wellington, England, after an extensive tour of the States, during which they visited their two sons, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Thorpe, of 1508 Fernwood Road. Mr. William Acason, who is a brother of Mrs. Thorpe was for many years connected with one of the oldest established banks in England, while Mrs. Acason has been prominent in political and temperance activities for many years in the West of England. The visit will extend over several weeks. Already they are charmed with the beauties of the city and will visit various interesting points of the Island.

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Return in City

Captain and Mrs. H. M. McGlverin have returned to their home at Uplands from Salt Spring Island, where they have been the guests of Captain and Mrs. Macgregor Macintosh at "Bluegates" Hon. H. B. McGiverin and Mrs. McGiverin, of Ottawa, have arrived in the city to spend the next few months visiting their son and daughter-in-law, and during their stay will be guests at "The Angela."

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Luncheon Party

Captain and Mrs. Waller Wingala, of 671 Niagara Street, were tendered a luncheon by their friends on Friday, on the eve of their departure for the Banff Highland gathering, Waterton Lakes and other resorts. Following the luncheon they were presented with a beautiful gift of china.

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To Return to Vancouver

The Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie will return to Vancouver tomorrow afternoon, where they will be guests at Mrs. B. T. Rogers' dance, and prior to that will be dinner guests of Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Massey Golden.

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Cricket Teams Entertained

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie entertained the Albion and Cowichan cricket teams at tea at Government House yesterday after the league match. Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn was in attendance. His Honor is the president of the Albion Cricket Club.

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To Arrive This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Birley will arrive at the end of the week from England and will make their home here, Mr. Birley having joined the staff of Brentwood College. Mrs. Birley's mother, Mrs. H. S. Lloyd, was a former resident of Victoria and has many friends here.

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Leaving for South

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lampman will leave this morning for Los Angeles, where they will reside. Mrs. Lampman will return shortly to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Biggerstaff Wilson, returning to the South with her little daughter, Judy.

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Will Spend Winter Here

Brig.-General and Mrs. A. T. Ogilvie, who are traveling from Europe on the Ss. Pacific Pioneer, of the Furness-Withy Line, via the Panama Canal, are expected in Victoria at the end of the week, and propose to spend the Winter here.

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Returns Home

Miss Violet Powkes has returned from Los Angeles, where she has been attending the teachers' courses at Ernest Belcher's studio and the Earle Wallace Studios of Stage Dancing.

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Leaves for Oregon

Dr. Ralph Smethurst, formerly of this city, who arrived in town last week to visit his family, left last night for Seaside, Oregon, to spend a few days before returning to Walla Walla, Wash., where he is now residing.

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Leaves for England

Miss Pamela Charlewood left on Friday for Montreal, and will sail on the Duchess of York on August 27 for England. After a short visit in London she will leave for school in the Channel Islands.

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Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Llewellyn, 3710 Saanich Road, with their daughters, Molly and Betty, and their small son, Ian, return to town tomorrow after spending a month's holiday at Shawnigan Lake.

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At Sooke

Mrs. E. M. Pearse and Mrs. Thornton Marshall are leaving town today for the Belvedere Hotel, Sooke, where they will spend a short holiday.

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Leave for Motor Trip

Miss Clara Allan, Miss Dorothy Hartley and Mr. Gordon Hartley left on the Ss. City of Victoria for a motor trip to Southern California and will be away for three weeks.

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Visitor From California

Mr. Victor E. Gillespie, of San Francisco, is spending a short vacation in the city, and while here is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Stanley Porlar, of 876 Madison Street.

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Visiting Here

Mrs. J. A. McGuire, of Vancouver, is visiting in the city staying with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Nyland, 945 Johnson Street.

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Holidaying Here

Miss Flo Elston, 726 London Street, Esquimalt, has left for Seattle, where she will spend her holidays as the guest of friends.

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From Vancouver

Mrs. R. M. Holloway, of Vancouver, is the guest of Mrs. O. E. Lane, Stanley Avenue, for a few days.

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Visiting Here

Miss Marion and Master Jack Macdonald, of Vancouver, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. O. A. Armstrong, Sunrise Avenue.

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Returns Home

Miss Dorothy Morton, of Colwood, has returned home after spending a few weeks as the guest of Miss Doris Rawlins, Beach Drive

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Dance on James Island

The Staff Club of James Island entertained about sixty guests last night at a flannel dance.

Now on Way to Coast

LADY Diana Cooper, who, with her husband, Capt. Alfred Duff Cooper, D.S.O., former Unionist M.P. for Oldham; Viscount Ednam, who recently lost his wife in the tragic air disaster in England; his son, Hon. William Ward, and tutor, A. D. Cartwright, are en route from Montreal to Vancouver and will spend some time visiting bungalow camps on the way.

TODAY'S RECIPE

BARBECUED Chicken—So many families these days are forbidden red meat that different ways of preparing chicken are very welcome. Prepare a young chicken as for frying, salt lightly, and fry until light brown in drippings. Melt 3 tablespoons butter in a saucepan, add ½ cup vinegar, 1 teaspoon mustard, 1 teaspoon sugar, a dash of cayenne and tabasco mixed, salt and pepper. Let all come to a boil, pour over chicken and bake in a moderate oven until tender and lightly browned.

Keating

Miss Sophia Lass, accompanied by Mrs. Gilbert, of Seattle, and Miss Hazel Fitzgerald, of Los Angeles, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Warner, Veyaness Road, on Thursday.

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Mrs. F. Goodwin is spending a holiday in Vancouver and Seattle.

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Master Richard Warner, Veyaness Road, is visiting during the Victoria Fair at the home of his cousin, Jimson Lawrie, Victoria.

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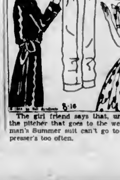
Mr. and Mrs. A. Sutherland and daughter, Dale, and Mr. Sutherland, Sr., have returned to their home on Veyaness Road, after spending a holiday motor camping at Qualicum Beach and other Up-Island points.

A.Y.P.A. Meeting

At a special meeting of the A.Y.P.A., held at St. Michael's Church, final arrangements were completed for the garden party to be held on Wednesday afternoon at the grounds of Major L. H. McQueen. The games, amusements and refreshments are in the hands of a competent committee, and Miss Oldfield will open the fete at 3 o'clock. The affair will terminate with a dance in the evening, to which the young people and their friends are invited.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM



The girl friend says that, unlike the pitcher that goes to the well, a man's Summer suit can't go to the presser's too often.

Honeymoon To Be Spent In Portland

A charming house wedding was celebrated last night at 8.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Murie, 1613 Amphion Street, when Rev. Thomas Menzies celebrated the marriage of Mae, only daughter of the late Mr. Andrew Murie and of Mrs. Murie, and Mr. Kenneth Senior Smith, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Senior Smith, of Cornwall, England. The house had been beautifully decorated for the occasion. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood beneath a wedding bell suspended from an arch of greenery and gold, decked with flame shades of dahlias and sweet peas, and the wedding music was played by Mr. James McLean Todd, of Vancouver. During the signing of the register Mrs. E. A. Dye, also of Vancouver, sang "At Dawning."

The bride, who was given in marriage by a very old family friend, Mr. Donald McAdie, was a winsome picture in her pretty sleeveless frock of flowered ninon in shades of pink and blue over blue, with which she wore a picture hat of stitched blue silk and shoes of two shades of blue, and a lovely string of crystal beads. She carried an arm bouquet of butterfly roses and maidenhair fern. The bridesmaid was Miss Winnie Ferriman, in a flowered frock of ninon made with a round neck and no sleeves, and a skirt flounced below the waist, in shades of peach and blue, and she wore a peach-colored picture hat of soft French felt, and held a bouquet of golden gladioli and mauve sweet peas. The dainty flower girl was wee Betty McAdie, in pale pink organdie, who held a basket of roses. Mr. Reginald Freemantle supported the groom.

About fifty guests attended and were received by Mrs. Murie in an attractive flowered gown in shades of brown and blue over peach, who wore a smart model felt hat in a matching shade of brown. The supper table was attractively arranged with festoons of smilax falling from the chandelier, and tall green tapers and vases filled with pink asters and dahlias and feathery gypsophila, and centred with the three-tier bridal cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Senior Smith left at midnight for Portland, Oregon, where the honeymoon will be spent, the bride traveling in a smart tailleur of fawn tweed with a long coat, and a fox stole, and a blue hat. They will make their home in Seattle.

Among the beautiful presents received was a tray of flat silver from the Education Department of the Provincial Civil Service, where the bride had been employed for a number of years, and a silver bread tray from the Pas-A-Pas Bible class, of which she had also been a member.

Victoria Women Will Speak in Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Aug. 23.—At the home of the president, Mrs. T. W. Martindale, the Women's Canadian Club executive met yesterday afternoon, to make arrangements for the opening meeting of the club, which will take place in the Malaspina Hotel early in September. There will be music and tea will be served. Mrs. Scurrah, who represented Nanaimo at the National meeting of the club, and Miss Agnew, of Victoria, will be invited to speak. Mrs. Martindale reported having attended the twenty-first anniversary banquet of the Vancouver Canadian Club, and which she extended congratulations and greetings from Nanaimo Club.

The executive decided to recommend to the general meeting that as many members as possible subscribe to The Canadian Nation, the official publication of the Canadian Club.

Five members were enlisted to attend the banquet of Nanaimo Local Council of Women as representatives of the Canadian Club. Mr. Bird, sent by the Associated Clubs of Canada, will address a meeting in Nanaimo in October. Mrs. Martindale, Mrs. Tom Spencer and Mrs. Frank Cuniffe were named a committee to consider the Nanaimo constitution and report to the general meeting.

The secretary was instructed to take steps to secure the charter of the Nanaimo Canadian Club.

Refreshments were served by the hostess after the business was completed.

Oarsmen to Be Guests At J.B.A.A. Dinner

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the J.B.A.A. a banquet will be held on September 3 at the clubhouse, the Gorge, in honor of the oarsmen who took part in the N.P.A.A.O. regatta, and as the concluding event of the season. It is hoped that all those who have rowed for the club and worn the navy blue and white for their home team will be present. Following the dinner, which will be served at 7.15 o'clock, a dance will be held, a four-piece orchestra playing the dance music. Supper will be served and the dance will conclude at 1 o'clock. Tickets for the dance may be obtained from P. W. Francis, jeweler; Mr. Fouracre, the clubhouse or from club members.

At Y.W.C.A.

Guests registered at the Y.W.C.A. include: Miss Ethel O. Church, Mrs. A. N. Morris, Mrs. Nelson, Miss Billie Nelson, Seattle; Miss Isabelle Wood, Miss E. Hood, Mrs and Miss McKenzie, Vancouver; Mrs. M. Alexander, Misses Panting, Winnipeg; Miss Dorothy Lamb, Mrs. Walton, Duncan; Mrs. H. D. Tressider, Misses Jessie and Dorothy Tressider, Miss H Deddoms, Miss M. Colhorst, Toronto; Miss Esther Ekberg, Miss C. Johnson, St. Paul, Minn.; Miss E. McIver, Miss Olive Raw, Edmonton; Miss E. L. Hakes, Olympia; Miss H. R. Herman, Rosthern, Sask.; Miss G. A. Cook, Miss L. G. Cooper, Los Angeles, Miss F. Amois, Calgary

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Society News From Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Aug 23.—"Hycroft" was the scene of a particularly interesting dance on Friday evening when Major-General and Mrs. A. D. McRae entertained in honor of their three daughters, Mrs. R. P. Baker, who leaves next month with her husband and children for Europe; Mrs. Walter Seligman, who recently arrived here from her home in New York, and Mrs. Dwight Paul, who with her daughter has been visiting her parents this Summer. In addition to the many guests there were also officers from the visiting ships of the Royal Navy, H.M.S. Despatch and H.M.S. Dauntless.

The ballroom and halls were decorated with masses of dahlias and lilies, while zinnias and gladioli were effectively used as a decoration for the long terrace, where supper was served. Mrs. McRae received her many guests wearing a gown of beige-colored lace over a satin slip of the same shade. Mrs. Dwight Paul was very smart in a gown of lavender chiffon fashioned on the long flowing lines, and Mrs. Seligman's dress was of blue chiffon.

Prior to the dance at "Hycroft" numerous dinner parties were arranged by guests later attending the dance. Among the hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Hendrie Leggatt, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Austin, Miss Sheila Russell, Miss Betty Boultbee, who entertained at Jericho Country Club when he guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Robertson, Miss Marion Robertson, Miss Helen Matheson, Miss Margaret Rogers, Miss Jeanne Davidson, Miss Doris Pickstone, Miss Tryon, of Parksville, V.I.; Miss Betty Cowan, Miss Fanta Tait Lieut. J. T. Cochrane, R.N., Lieut. Sands, R.N., Mr. Geoffrey Wootten Mr. George Cowan, Mr. James Rankin, Mr. Gardner Boultbee, Mr. Richard Davidson, Mr. Pat Burns Another hostess at Jericho was Miss Kitty Welsh, whose guests were: Miss Beatrice Merritt, Miss Jean Swift, of Toronto; Miss Jean McLennan, Miss Mary Griffin, Miss Naomi McMullen, Miss Jean Cumming, Mr. Robin Piers, Mr. Christopher Morrison, Mr. Cecil Merritt Mr. Armour Bull, Mr. Locke Malkin and Mr. John Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Malkin invited as their dinner guests Mrs. Stanilaus Ozowski, of Montreal Miss Mary and Miss Helen Ozowski, Miss Ursula Malkin, Mr. Norman Lang and Mr. Walter Roberts.

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Farewell Tea

Miss Orace Ann Cromie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cromie, left today for Switzerland, accompanied by her mother and by Miss Nancy Walkem, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Knox Walkem. Miss Cromie and Miss Walkem will attend school at Le Grand Verger at Lausanne. On Friday afternoon a farewell tea was given at the Cromie home, "Edgewood," when Mrs. Knox Walkem presided at the tea table. Guests present included Miss Eva McIntosh, of Victoria; Miss Doris Hanbury, Miss Theresa Quagliotti-Romano, Miss Dorothy Austin, Miss Nancy Symes, Miss Mary and Miss Helen Ozowski, of Montreal; Miss Barbara Murray, Miss Jane Swift of Toronto; Miss Margaret Rose Miss Jocelyn Brock, Miss Cecil Ropkins, Miss Frances Stafford, Miss Patsy Lamprey, Miss Faith Henderson, Miss Barbara Huntting, Miss Nancy Walkem, Miss Mary Godd Miss Elizabeth Brooks, Miss Barbara Bonnallie, Miss Jane Billings, Miss Mary Studd, Miss Nancy Symes, Miss Joan Arbuckle, Miss Patsy Maitland.

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For Miss Myers

Miss Florence Myers, of Winnipeg, has been the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Myers, Kerrisdale, and has been the guest of honor at a number of affairs given by Mrs. Lyle Telford and Miss Festing. Mrs. Arthur Myers entertained at the tea hour for her guest, when others present were Comtesse Catania, Mrs. Roy Jamieson, Mrs. Robert Telford, Mrs. Reed-Palmer, Mrs. George Pettapiece, Mrs M. Willard, Mrs. Leslie Code, Mrs. A. B. Stovel (Winnipeg), Miss Helen Stovel, Mrs. Everett Stovel, Mrs. Nina Moore Jamieson (Toronto), Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Willis and Mrs. Cecil Scott.

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Go to Vancouver Island

Lieut.-Col. and Mrs H. D. Hulme and their grandson, Master John Nicholson are spending some time on Vancouver Island.

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Here From Seattle

Mrs. Rocke Robertson and four small sons, of Seattle, is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Boyle.

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Visitors Here

Miss Ilace Terry and Miss Mora Terry spent the beginning of the week here and returned to their home in Victoria on Wednesday night.

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Return Home

After spending the past four months visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. D. Lapsley, Mrs. Robert Anderson, accompanied by her little daughter, Shirley Marie, has returned to her home at Tadanac. Mrs. Lapsley's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jack Lapsley, of Chemainus, and her small daughter have also returned to their home after visiting here.

CATHEDRAL TO SEAT 60,000

Liverpool, England, has just sold to the Roman Catholic Church a site on Brownlow Hill for the proposed cathedral, which is to cost $15,000,000 and will have a seating capacity of 60,000. The site cost $500,000. Construction will start within two years.

Aberdeen En Fete for Royalty

(Canadian Press Cable)

ABERDEEN, Scotland, Aug. 23.—Their Majesties the King and Queen arrived here this morning with their youngest son, Prince George. They were met at the station by the Lord Provost of the city, the magistrates and an unusually large crowd.

The King was attired in kilts and wore the Royal Stuart tartan. He smilingly accepted congratulations from the Lord Provost on the birth of a granddaughter, the first princess born in Scotland for more than 300 years.

BOTH WELL

A bulletin issued at Glamis Castle this morning said: "The Duchess of York and the infant princess are both very well."

(Signed) "SIR HENRY SIMSON."

QUESTION OF SUCCESSION

The Daily Sketch says birth of a daughter instead of a son to the Duke and Duchess of York will necessitate passage of a special act of Parliament to put beyond a question the succession to the throne.

The principal point of the paper's contention is the British law of primogeniture does not apply to sisters. Thus, if there is no male heir, two or more sisters become co-heiresses, and unless Parliament regularizes their positions the Princess Elizabeth and her baby sister conceivably may some day become co-heiresses to the throne.

This would create an impossible position, the paper says, and the crown might even go into abeyance. The contingency is recognized as remote, but it is contended the provision against it is necessary.

At Beverley Hotel

Guests at the Beverley Hotel Apartments include: Mrs. H. R. Smiley, Mrs. B. McNichol, Chemainus; Mr. S. Mole, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allison, Miss M. Allison; Miss D. E. Kidd, Miss J. M. Keir, Miss T. White, Miss I. Orahame, Miss J. H. Hamilton, Miss J. Anderson, Mrs. F. W. Luckham, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs B. Barkley, Ellenburg, Wash.; Mr. D. L. Ross, Bellingham, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. E. Impey, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ferguson, Mr. A Doull, Oswego, N.Y.; Mr and Mrs. A. E. Murray, Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thewlis, Mr. E. Carrick, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Cunningham and child, Edmonton

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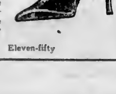

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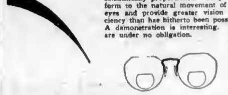

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STANDARDIZATION IS ROAD BUILDERS' AIM

Survey of Twenty Leading Cities to Be Made by Association's Investigator

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 22.—Reduced costs of city paving and standardization of street and traffic practices is the aim of the 1930 programme of the city officials' division of the American Road Builders' Association, according to C. R. Thomas, who has been appointed engineer-executive of the division.

Five general committees have undertaken a survey of twenty leading cities through personal study by investigators who will seek answers to questions brought up by committee members. The general subjects will be: Administration, organization and finance, design and construction, maintenance, traffic and airports. The work is being directed by the division president, Col. O. E. Myers, director of transit, Philadelphia, Pa.

On airports, a joint nation-wide study is under way through cooperation of the Department of Commerce, the American Engineering Council and the road builders. The division will await the results of this survey to secure the latest airport information.

Municipal highway finance, with special attention to assessment practices, will be studied by finance specialists from various cities under the leadership of Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, chief engineer co-ordinator, Washington, D.C. Another subject of special interest is highway resurfacing and widening, under the maintenance committee, headed by A. T. Rhodes, superintendent of streets and sewers, Leominster, Mass. Authorities hold that in many cases where traffic congestion exists resurfacing and widening of existing streets and highways will solve the problem more quickly and economically than construction of new highways. Resurfacing of worn-out pavements and widening of streets to carry a greater traffic load results also in increased economy and safety to the motor car operator.

The important subjects of construction and design will be reported on by a committee under Chairman George B. Sowers, Deputy Commissioner of Engineering and Construction, Cleveland, Ohio. The chairman of the active group investigating the ever-present problems of traffic in all its phases is M. O. Eldridge, Assitant Traffic Director, Washington, D.C.

In his work as engineer executive Thomas will visit New York, Chicago, San Antonio, New Orleans, Houston, Oklahoma City, Milwaukee, Indianapolis, Louisville, Memphis, Des Moines and Kansas City, Mo.

To his new post Thomas brings a background of many years in the study, teaching and practice of highway engineering and in the highway magazine publishing field. He was for a time associated with the United States Bureau of Public Roads, a member of the teaching and research staff of several colleges, author of many bulletins and articles on engineering subjects and most recently was editor of Highway Engineer and Contractor.

"Present indications are that we will have a wealth of new and valuable information to present the great gathering of city officials next January at the annual convention and road show in St. Louis," Thomas declared.

President W. A. Van Duzer, of the American Road Builders' Association, has announced the appointment of M. de Glopper, materials and equipment engineer, highway department, Lansing, Mich., as chairman of the highly important equipment committee.

This committee, which has done work of immense value to the road building industry in previous years, will take up in this year's agenda: Snow removal equipment, standardization of purchasing methods; operation and development of traffic control signals, streets and highways; power and requirements for operation of various types of road machinery; survey of need for and availability of maintanance equipment; central and transit mix concrete equipment.

Chairman de Glopper will be assisted by sub-chairman in charge of the various investigations and the entire committee membership of highway industry leaders. The report will be prepared with the assistance of a headquarters staff investigator and will be presented at the annual convention and road show in St. Louis in January, 1931.

A new air service between La Paz and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, covers the distance in two days.

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200 Rayon Stripe Bloomers
Fine Cotton Ribbed Summer-Weight Bloomers with rayon stripe and double gusset. In peach, mauve and pink. Sizes for 2 to 14 years. Per pair, 29¢

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Serviceable cotton broadcloth with opera top and built-up strap. In peach, sky, pink, orchid and white. Sizes for 6 to 16 years. Each .... 69¢

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Well taped and buttoned, and finished with shaped or adjustable strap and garter attachments. Sizes for 2 to 14 years. Each .... 59¢

150 Girls' Cotton Vests
Fine Cotton Ribbed Vests with shaped strap or short sleeves. Sizes for 4 to 14 years. Each .... 29¢

—Second Floor, HBC

300 Rayon Vests and Bloomers Monday, at 79c a Garment

For Monday's shoppers—300 Excellent Quality Rayon Tailored Bloomers and Bobettes and Rayon Opera-Top Vests in small, medium and large sizes. The Bloomers and Bobettes are finished with double gusset and ripproof seams. Colors are French nude, sky blue, sunset, pink, peach, orchid, suuni and white. Per garment.. **79c**

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McLaren's Jelly Powders, 4 pkts. for .... 25¢
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Regular 69c for 50c

An excellent weight fancy knit cotton and rayon Bloomer, finished with double gusset and elastic at waist and knee. In peach, pink, white, orchid. Sizes 36 to 40. Regular, per pair, 69c. Special .... 50¢

—Second Floor, HBC

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Handy Ann Dish Cloths, art shades in fast colors, each .... 15¢
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Pushpin Hooks, for walls and woodwork, per card .... 14¢
Ironing Board Covers, hold padding firmly, each .... 50¢

—Main Floor, HBC

Velvet Millinery Now the Mode

Velvet is again making its way back into the flat limelight of fashion for Fall and Winter. The new berets are distinctly different, both beretta and tam styles. Of particular importance is their graceful draping. Clever stitching details and intricate seams are much in evidence; crowns continue to be shallow. This season's silhouette softens the lines by showing the hair at one side, right or left. Some of the new shades are gypsy green, magnolia green, salad green, Colonial brown, duomo blue, roseheart or wine shades, beach and sand. Prices are most reasonable.
From **3.95**

—Second Floor, HBC

Women's Wool Suits in Becoming New Styles

Three-Piece Suits From Paris

Specially designed for the full figure, these suits are fashioned from fine jersey wool with neatly woven pin dot. There is a belted jumper with collared neckline, cardigan jacket and neat skirt on elastic waistband. They are combined with plain shades to correspond. In navy and white or black and white. Sizes 42 to 46.
Price **25.00**

English Knit Suits for the Large Figure

Suits made in the West of England from superfine yarns in plain shades. Tailored styles with notch collars or in cardigan types with fancy pockets and neat cuffs. They have well fitting and roomy skirts with waistband. The shades are navy, brown and sand. Sizes 42 to 46. Price **16.50**

—Second Floor, HBC

500 New Novelty Tweed Coat Lengths at $5.85

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Boys' Odd Blue Trousers
Fox's Best Serge Shorts, fully lined and finished with belt loops and four pockets. Sizes for 4 to 14 years. Per pair $1.95

Fox's Serge "Longs"
A young man's pant with lots of style and hard wear. Sizes for 11 to 18 years. Per pair, $3.85
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—Main Floor, HBC

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Size 9 x 13.6. Sale $13.25

—Third Floor, HBC

Chinese Rugs

In Small and Large Sizes

A new shipment just opened up, bringing with it a number of small sizes—which are sometimes so difficult to procure. These are genuine hand-made rugs and the designs and colorings are particularly attractive.

Size 2 x 4, at $13.75
Size 2.6 x 5, at $22.50
Size 3 x 6, at $29.75
Size 8 x 10, at $119.00
Size 9 x 12, at $159.00

—Third Floor, HBC

Description Is Given of Royal Baby

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Sunday Express today said that Great Brittain's new royal princess, born Thursday night to the Duchess of York at Olamis Castle, is a "twilight sleep baby."

She has dark hair and dark blue eyes, and at birth weighed seven pounds and two ounces. Her stature was an inch below the average, measuring eighteen and a quarter inches.

Her features are said to be characteristic of her mother's family, and she is described as more of a "Bowes-Lyon than a royal baby."

Her name is still under discussion, with the choice believed at present between Cecilia Victoria Margaret and Cecilia Victoria Anne. Scotsmen are clamboring for Margaret."

The homely phrase in the official bulletin announcing the birth, which read "both are doing fine," was inspired by the Earl of Strathmore, father of the Duchess.

At first it had been written in more formal terms. When the earl read it he said in a broad Scotch accent to the physician, "They're baith daen fine, are they?" "Yes," replied the physician, Sir Henry Simpson, "they are both doing fine." "Then let's say it that way," the earl suggested.

"The Olamis folk know what that means."

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pitt, Duncan, B.C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Gladys Violet, to Mr. Albert Edward Robinson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson, of Workington, Cumberland, England. The wedding will take place on September 8.

Staff Picnic

QUALICUM BEACH, Aug. 23. — As some of the staff of the Qualicum Beach Hotel will be leaving to resume their studies when the schools open, a party was arrenged on the beach on Thursday night. A large fire was lighted and supper was provided. Music and games made it a very pleasant gathering. About thirty attended.

Actor Is Ill

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 23.—Lon Chaney, film character actor, was in St. Vincent Hospital very ill today. Officials of his motion picture studio said he had two blood transfusions last night. He entered the hospital two weeks ago upon returning from New York, where he underwent an operation on his throat.

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Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

SOUTH SAANICH

The regular meeting of the South Saanich Women's Institute was held in the rooms, Temperance Hall, on Thursday evening. Mrs. H. Lawrie presided, and Miss Nellie Styan acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. C. L. Styan. A number of letters were read by the secretary, including one from the South Saanich Junior Institute Club, thanking the senior institute for the recent entertainment accorded them at Spooner's tea room, and in return inviting all the members to a hot dog supper and beach party at Island View Beach on Monday evening. A letter of thanks was received from Mrs. W. Carmichael for flowers sent to her during a recent illness, and also thanks were received from Mrs. H. E. Tanner for a silver dish sent from the institute on her twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, which took place recently. A communication from the department was read announcing an adjustment of the Government grant among the institutes. The Memba Co. sent a communication regarding sales and the Pacific Milk Company one regarding a competition. It was decided to hold a wool bee all day on Wednesday, September 10, in Temperance Hall, when it is hoped to get two wool comforters made. Owing to the lateness of the season the picnic, which was planned for this month, was cancelled. It is hoped to get a speaker from the Salvation Army to address the next meeting, which will take place on Thursday evening September 18, on social service work. During the meeting, Mrs. Michell kindly distributed sweet peas from her garden to all present, and at the close refreshments were served by the younger members, under the convenership of Misses Doris Michell and Miss Alice Styan.

Many at Empress Hear Justine Gilbert Sing

Miss Justine Gilbert, yesterday afternoon's soloist at the Empress Hotel, had a cordial reception by the big gathering of tea-hour guests. Her three groups were essentially popular in character and obviously pleased her listeners, the attractiveness of the numbers being enhanced in nearly every instance by the charmingly arranged accompaniments for the three-piece orchestra of piano, violin and 'cello. Few singers have a vocal timbre that so well suits obbligato by the strings, and in this Miss Gilbert's work was, therefore, exceptional.

A voice of beautiful and sympathetic tone, ample volume and faultless pitch, and a pleasing sincerity of manner and expression are outstanding assets of the singer, and her programme was received with enthusiasm. The compositions were, on the whole, well chosen for such an occasion, especial favorites being the "Barcarolle" from Offenbach's "Tales of Hoffman," Teresa del Riego's "Homing," and Miss Gilbert's own very delightful "The Eternal Rose," which she sang with very appealing expression. In her first group the special favorites were Cadman's "From the Land of the Sky Blue Water" and Fox's "Hills of Home," the former being a happy choice for the opening of a programme. In her second group she sang an interesting little song of happy portent, John and Rue Carpenter's "A Plan," which introduced the audience to the composers of the charming little lullaby which she sang for her final encore after "The Last Rose of Summer."

With the issuance of health figures for the week ending July 5, the Public Health Committee of Belfast, Ireland, is claiming that the city is the health centre of Britain. The medical statistics showed that the death rate for Belfast was only 9.8 per 1,000, as compared with 11.8 in Dublin, 12.7 in Glasgow and 12.9 in Edinburgh.

Canadian Girl Becomes Bride Of Missionary

EDMONTON, Aug. 23. — Two thousand miles from the sea and in the heart of Western China, lies the city of Chengtu, in the province of Szechuen, and there on May 24 a wedding was solemnized, in the United Church, the details of which will be of interest to many friends in Canada. The principals were Miss Edith Loree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Loree, of Nanton, Alta., and Dr. Rudolph Leonard Crook, of Yachow, Szechuen, formerly of Philadelphia. Miss Loree was well known in Vancouver as a teacher before her departure several years ago to follow the same profession in China. Dr. Crook is in charge of the American Baptist Mission Hospital at Yachow, a city of about 25,000 people.

The honeymoon was spent at Tachienlu, in the borderland of Tibet, whence they traveled for fourteen days by sedan chairs and lived under a canvas near a sulphur springs. On their return to Yachow they were met by the Chinese community with hundreds of firecrackers, their chairs draped with red scarves, and were carried through the street to their home, where a presentation of six scrolls was made to them and they received callers from several town institutions. Two or three days later Dr. and Mrs. Crook gave a reception to which the 100 Chinese citizens who had contributed the firecrackers were invited.

Clubs and Societies

Purple Star Lodge

The members of Victoria Purple Star, L.O.B.A. No. 104, will hold their annual picnic on Wednesday at Fisher Point at the home of Mrs. Waldron, Drydock Road, Esquimalt. Mrs. Ripley and Mrs. Edmonds will be conveners. Races will start at 2:30 o'clock. Tea, milk and sugar will be provided. It is hoped that a good attendance of members will be there. Mrs. Ripley, phone 8208L, will give further particulars.

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Primrose Lodge

Primrose Lodge, D.O.E. choir will hold its picnic at Mrs. Langley's home, 645 Michigan Street, tomorrow at 2 p.m. Choir practice will be held at the home of Mrs. Hatcher on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

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BRIDGE TUITION IS SPECIAL LINE FOR AUSTRALIAN STORES

SYDNEY, Australia, Aug. 22.—While some citizens are worrying themselves and others with talk of financial stringency, the races, the theatres, and all places of entertainment are largely attended. All the golf clubs are adding to their waiting lists, and bridge bondage is noticeable through city and suburbs. Several of the large stores have bridge tuition as a special side line. Women who have heard from others that if they wish for social success they "must learn bridge," and from their husbands that if they ask questions of innocence while fingering their cards in doubt they will be socially excommunicated, are feverishly learning or partly learning just what to do in all circumstances. They are meeting at the stores each day in their hundreds, meeting to learn, while in almost all the women's clubs and in scores of other places there are bridge parties every afternoon and evening. One great store has morning and afternoon sessions of bridge beginners at $1 a session. The charge covers morning or afternoon tea. There are in addition two afternoon practice sessions each week, with drilling in the intricacies and etiquette of the game, at 50c a person. These likewise include tea, and being considered "good bargains" will be consistently rushed. Bridge is no longer a game in this city. With many it is an obsession.

Joins Association For Good Roads in Canadian Dominion

TORONTO, Aug. 22.—On the invitation of the president and executive committee, the Government of Newfoundland has become a member of the Canadian Good Roads Association on the same basis as each of the provinces of Canada.

The invitation was conveyed personally to the Hon. Sir Richard Squires, Premier, and the Hon. W. R. Hibbs, Minister of Public Works, by Messrs. S. L. Squire and William Findley, executive committee members, who visited the ancient colony for the purpose.

The annual convention of the association at Quebec in September will be attended by Hon. Mr. Hibbs and other members of the Government. Sir Richard Squires will be prevented by his trip to England to the Imperial Conference from attending the convention.

The two members of the executive committee were given opportunity to inspect the good roads system of Newfoundland. It consists of 750 miles of macadam and includes over 100 concrete bridges. Hard surfaces are being extended from St. John's on the principal highways. The Canadian visitors were surprised at the excellence of the roads and economy with which they have been built.

Duchess of York to Attend Matinee

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The Duchess of York has fixed Monday, November 24, as the date on which she will be able to attend a gala matinee of "What Every Woman Knows" at the Theatre Royal, Haymarket. Mr. Horace Watson has lent the theatre for the benefit of the Prince of Wales Endowment Fund of Toc H and the Toc H League of Women's Helpers, of which the Duchess is president.

Winners at Party

The prize-winner at the card party held at Royal Oak Community Hall on Thursday evening were as follows: 1, Mrs. Oorderoy and Mrs. Thomas; 2, Mrs. Heal and Mr. J. A. Stewart (substitute); 3, Mrs. Scholey and Mr. Mawsy. There will be another card party on Thursday evening, September 4.

Picnicker (who has forgotten the matches)—I wonder if I could strike fire by rubbing two pieces of wood together?

Wife—If there were two of you, you could rub your heads together.

—From The Humorist, London.

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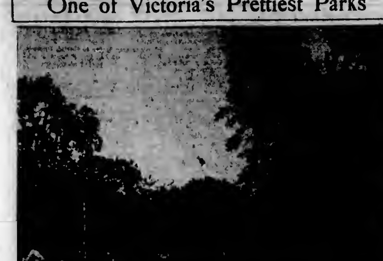

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CITY'S PARKS MAKE CHAIN OF FLORAL BEAUTY

Victoria Blessed With Many Delightful Playgrounds and Breathing Spots

CENTRAL NURSERIES SUPPLY FLOWERS

In the big city sense Victoria has no real playground problem yet, and anyone who has any sense of humanity will sincerely hope the condition will never be permitted to develop. Neither has she the big city's appalling problem of "lungs," those very necessary but too frequently absent "breathing places," where the folk from over-crowded tenements and skyscraper office buildings can go to get a breath of air. The sea is too near us on all sides; refreshing breezes blow across the peninsula in all seasons of the year, and all one has to do on the sultriest day in order to fill one's chest with cool fresh air, is to cross to the shady side of the street and inhale deeply.

Nevertheless, it is well, both for recreational and aesthetic reasons, that the powers that be have taken time by the forelock by setting aside a number of small parks about the city. It has to be confessed that some of these spots have not been reserved as soon as they should have been, with the result that they have cost the city more than they would, had conditions been properly anticipated. But the scheme as it exists deserves all praise, as anyone who has chanced upon these delightful little oases of color and pleasure must acknowledge.

Victoria possesses, in addition to its magnificent inheritance of beautiful beaches and its wonderful hinterland of near-lying country, nine or ten parks with a total area of about 200 acres. Administered by the city, under a parks committee of which Alderman Worthington is the chairman, these playgrounds and beauty spots are recreation centres in the true sense, as can be seen by visiting any one of them during any of the Summer months at a time of day when children play or grown-ups are freed from office and classroom. Hundreds resort to them on week days for tennis, bowling, cricket, football, or more juvenile games, and on Sunday, in July and August particularly, they are the rendezvous of thousands.

BEACON HILL PARK

The senior of them all is, of course, Beacon Hill Park. This has 150 acres. Others taken in order of their size are the Gorge Park, eleven acres; Central Park, Quadra Street, seven acres; Victoria West, six acres; Stadacona Park, four and a half acres; Pioneer Square, Oaklands Park, Spencer Park, which measures about fourteen city lots; Robert Porter Park on Fairfield Road, about two acres. Extending the survey into Greater Victoria one finds the Willows Park, Oak Bay Park, the B.C. Electric Park, Esquimalt Municipal Park, and three or four other little breathing spaces. But they do not properly belong in this article.

Beacon Hill Park is not only the largest and oldest. It is the source of plant supplies for all the others, and the headquarters of Thomas R. Purdy, who has been parks superintendent of the city for the past twenty-one years. Here, hidden inconspicuously by its encircling woods and high hedges, are the nurseries which furnish all the flowers and shrubs required by the smaller parks. And here Mr. Purdey himself may be found at odd moments any day in the week, sorting and organizing the material to be sent out to this or that corner of the city.

The entrance to the nursery looks like an old English farmyard. Moss-covered cottages, the doorways overhung with roses or wistaria, an old haystack which furnishes fodder for the workhorses used in the parks, and a few hothouses block the way. But beyond this one comes into trimly defined paths flanked by wide borders filled with all the perennials and annuals, which one finds growing about the city's parks: Mauve and pink stocks, golden-rod, dahlias, sweet peas, asters, clarkia, forget-me-not, godetia, anchusa, shastas, achellia, mesembryanthemum, perenntal phlox, mauve and white campanula, eryngum planum (mauve thistle), gladioli, hydrangeas, gaillardia, sunflower, venedium and penstemon.

The largest of the hothouses contains masses of bloom. There are between six and seven hundred begonia plants alone, and scores of gloxinias and fuchsias. An overpowering exotic perfume fills one end of the building, this coming, one discovers, from the datura or Gabriel's trumpet which droops from the glass roof. It is a beautiful trumpet-shaped flower, the average depth of the blossoms being about eight inches. The other end of the building is filled with the bougainvilla's purple scarf, which makes a screen across the door.

Ten days ago the hothouse was hemmed in by a score of floral sentinels, these being the enormous tubs of marigold, lobelia, geranium, fuchsia and stocks, which Mr. Purdey subsequently sent to the Willows fair grounds to decorate the steps of some of the larger exhibition buildings.

A QUIET RETREAT

Only a few people seem to have discovered that the nursery grounds are open to the public during certain hours of the day. So the "Nursery Walk," which is a straight three or four hundred yards stretch of gravel between these great beds of scented bloom, is usually deserted, although it has several comfortable garden seats where one could sit almost on the coldest Winter day sheltered from the cold winds, and which in Summer are temptingly shady.

The nursery for shrubs and trees is almost as important as the nursery for flowers, as here are grown all the holly trees, barbery buses, monkey trees, cedars, chestnuts, plane trees and other things of the kind which go to the filling of shrubberies and boulevards. The space between two of the smaller hothouses is filled with delicious damp-smelling Irish and English ferns, among which bloom, in the springtime, primroses and primulas.

One leaves the condensed interest of this nursery part of Beacon Hill Park with a new curiosity about the uses to which all these things are put. Beacon Hill Park itself makes comparatively small use of them, as the greater part of the 150 acres has been left in its beautiful natural state. At the very heart of the park, immediately opposite the playgrounds and the section devoted to the animals, is a delightful little bit which glows suddenly at one against the dark background of Douglas firs, cedars and oaks. Again one comes amongst great masses of flowers at the park entrance on Douglas Street. Placed just where they are, these gleaming beds of color are a splendid advertisement, for every tourist, especially the motorist, inevitably passes them in the course of the shortest drive about the city. The solid masses of red penstemon and salvia, of brilliant sea-pink and bright yellow merembryanthemum, of tawny salpiglossis, of salmon-glow godetia, are arresting patches of color on the one side, and opposite them the drive is framed in a great curving bed of marigold and antirrhinum, blue petunias and red nicotina. Lest anyone be ignorant of the name, "Beacon Hill" is spelled out in four-foot letters of pale mauve aegratum and white alyssum, the whole framed in antirrhinum.

In nearly any one of the other smaller parks one finds the same flowers in varying arrangements. Undoubtedly the loveliest of all these is Stadacona, which belonged originally to Major Dupont, and still bears the imprint of his personality. The house was standing until six or seven years ago and it, too, left its impress in the outline of the gardens, which give little intimation of their public uses even to this day. The oaks, firs, mountain ash, pear and cherry trees, spirea and arbutus, lilac, rhododendron and hydrangea suggest domestic relations, particularly when they are associated with one of the best bits of lawn to be found in any of the city parks. Only in a very well tended park could a seven or eight-year-old standard heliotrope be found. These perfumed eight-foot plants are moved in and out of the conservatory each year in order to protect them from the Winter.

EXQUISITE BEAUTY

Half the grounds are given over to tennis courts. Another part, hidden among oaks, is popular with children. The gardens, which can just be seen from Fort Street down the tree-lined vista of Stadacona Avenue, are exquisitely beautiful, a great half moon-shaped bed being filled with the gayest of flowers, the tallest of which are the dahlias, visible a block away against their background of hollies and cedar. The southwest corner of the garden is a show at the present time, solidly massed with "ten weeks" Blue Beauty stocks, banked by monkey trees and hydrangeas. The delightful seclusion of these grounds, the unexpected turnings and twistings of the paths, the feeling of lurking interest and surprises behind each tree suggests the need of another Peter Pan statue. For the place is a favorite with very small children, and because of this Stadacona has been nicknamed the Kensington Gardens of Victoria

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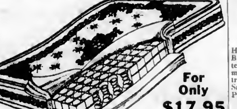

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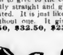

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The Mother-in-Law Joke. —The London Opinion.

Estimates the Losses From Earthquakes

(By Charles Davison in The London Times)

The recent earthquake in Italy has drawn attention to the heavy loss of life that may occur within a small area, and has shown how serious must be the total loss every year in all the earthquake countries of the world.

In his recent work, "Our Mobile Earth" (pp. 1-4), Professor R. A. Daly quotes an estimate made by one of the early seismologists, Robert Mallet, that in nearly 4,000 years earthquakes have caused the loss of 13,000,000 lives. Pointing to "the newest pestilence, the automobile," he adds that this rate is only one-sixth of that at which the automobile is destroying lives in the United States alone.

I have been led by this interesting comparison to attempt a new estimate of the average annual loss of life from earthquakes, for Mallet does not seem to have been acquainted with the figures for some of the most destructive earthquakes on record—with those, for instance, of the Indian earthquake of 1737, when 300,000 persons were killed, and of the Chinese earthquake of 1556, in which more than 830,000 persons are said to have lost their lives. Even during the present century the three great earthquakes of Messina in 1908, Northwest China in 1920, and Japan in 1923, if spread over the whole century, would give an average of at least 3,800 deaths a year, a figure that is rather higher than Mallet's rate for all the earthquakes of a century.

In 1911 the late Professor Milne published his great catalogue of destructive earthquakes for the whole world. It begins with the Christian era and ends with the year 1899. During the last century covered by it the catalogue cannot be otherwise than very nearly complete. The total number of earthquakes recorded from 1800 to 1899 is 2,096, of which 1,222 were just strong enough to crack some walls or throw down a few chimneys, 510 unroofed or shattered buildings, while 364 were so powerful that whole towns were destroyed and districts devastated, a class in which the recent Italian earthquake would, no doubt, have been placed. For our present purpose the first class may be neglected, since few, if any, of them can have resulted in an appreciable loss of life.

In his valuable catalogue of Italian earthquakes ("I Terremoti d'Italia") Dr. Mario Baratta gives the number of lives lost during nearly every destructive shock of the last three centuries. He describes 35 earthquakes of Milne's third or highest degree of intensity and 125 of the second. In eight of the latter, however, the numbers of deaths were so high, ranging from 200 to 20,000, that I have transferred them to the higher grade, thus giving 43 earthquakes of the third and 117 of the second degree. The total number of deaths caused by earthquakes of the third degree was 181,567, or 4,223 per earthquake. The number due to earthquakes of the second degree was 971, or 8.3 deaths per earthquake. Thus, if we may assume that the Italian rates prevail for the whole world during the nineteenth century, the average number of deaths every year would be 15,368 for earthquakes of the third degree and 42 for those of the second, a total of 15,410.

It may be urged with some force that to apply the Italian rates to the whole world would magnify the total loss. Owing to the faulty construction of the older Italian houses and to the situation of many of the towns on the summits of steep hills, the death-rates in some cities are far above the average for other countries. To realize this we have only to recall that 41 per cent of the inhabitants of Casamicciola were killed during the Ischian earthquake of 1883, 50 per cent of those at Messina during the earthquake of 1908, 71 per cent at Montemurro during the Neapolitan earthquake of 1857, 77 per cent at Terranova during the Calabrian earthquakes of 1783, and 81 per cent, at Avendita during the Norcian earthquake of 1703. On the other hand, the area of destruction in Italian earthquakes is always unusually small—in the Avezzano earthquake of 1915, for instance, about 100 square miles, and in some of the Etnean and Ischian earthquakes less than six square miles—while in the great earthquakes of other lands the corresponding area may range from 1,000 to 8,000 square miles. In only three or four Italian earthquakes during the three centuries considered does the total loss exceed 10,000 lives.

The only other country for which we possess a similar series of figures is Japan, and we are indebted to Professor A. Imamura for the number of persons killed during the more important earthquakes of that country. During the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries eight great earthquakes contributed a total death-roll of 31,140, an average of 3,892 per earthquake. At the same rate the total number of deaths every year for the whole world would would be 14,169.

Thus, though we must remember that the centuries considered included no earthquake so destructive of human life as, say, the Japanese earthquake of 1923, it would seem fair to conclude that the average number of persons killed by earthquakes every year is about 14,000 or 15,000, certainly less than the number of persons killed by motors every year in the United States alone, and not much more than twice the number killed in this country.

"I'm surprised at you, losing your temper at bridge."
"My dear girl, that was all I had left to lose." —The Humorist, London.

CREW OF TAHITI ON WAY TO NEW ZEALAND

Steamer Tofua Leaves Pago Pago With Ill-Fated Liner's Staff Aboard

PAGO PAGO, Tutuila, Aug. 23.—The British steamer Tofua arrived here today and will sail for New Zealand at daybreak tomorrow with the 140 members of the crew of the ill-fated liner, Tahiti, which sank in the South Pacific last Sunday.

Sixteen passengers who were rescued from the Tahiti by the Matson Liner Ventura, disembarked here while 152 passengers continued to Honolulu and San Francisco aboard the rescue ship.

The Tofua was one of the four vessels which responded to the Tahiti's call for assistance. The others were the Ventura, the Norwegian freighter Penbryn, and the French steamer Antinous.

Two thousand people were present when a Te Deum was sung in Westminster Cathedral, London, in celebration of the centenary of Belgian Independence

Vancouver Island Jerseys Win Huge Praise From Judge

William Auld, Spokane, Says Remarkable Progress Is Due to High-Class Importations, Co-operation, and Sound Policies of Breeders

"DUE to co-operation among the breeders, the foresight of the leaders and aggressive policy of the breed association, Jerseys have made remarkable progress in British Columbia, both on Vancouver Island and the Mainland," declared William Auld, manager of Auld's Jersey Farm at Spokane, and judge of Jerseys at the Victoria Exhibition last week.

"This is the best show I have seen here and I have been here nearly every year for the past ten," stated Mr. Auld, after he had completed his task which, he admitted, was difficult because of the general excellence of the entries. "The cattle that won championships were won by H. E. Burbidge, an Island breeder; is significant of the progress that has been made here for his entries have the stiff opposition of some very fine individuals. Other Vancouver Island breeders, some out for the first time, met with creditable success for their efforts."

OTHERS SHOULD BE SHOWN

Mr. Auld stated that Victoria could have an even better show if more of the smaller breeders could be induced to enter the pick of their herds. "The trouble is the smaller breeders hesitate to compete against the large entries that tour the fair circuit. They think they have no chance. Such is not the case. I have seen many of these smaller herds in which I refer and there are many individuals properly fitted and shown, that would be well up in their classes in any sort of competition."

The Wauchie herd is the largest in the Northwest. In 1929 a show herd was placed on the Pacific Coast circuit, and for six years the farm carried off the lion's share of the awards. Four years ago the herd was withdrawn from the circuit because according to Mr. Auld, "the competition was too strong for us and we simply had to stay at home."

"British Columbia has the finest Jerseys on the entire Pacific Coast. We have nothing in Washington that can compare with the show herds here. We buy our breeding stock from British Columbia now instead of selling to your breeders, as we did a few years ago."

CREDIT TO PROGRESS

Mr. Auld attributed the progress of the breed in the province to the importations of foundation stock made from the Island of Jersey. "Three men are mainly responsible," he said, naming J. S. H. Matson, Victoria; D. Spencer Limited, Port Haney, and A. E. Dunsvill, Sardis.

"Great credit is due these importers," stated Mr. Auld. "They brought in the best they could obtain and the progeny of their importations has been the foundation stock of many small herds in the province that are of as high quality as any found anywhere. Combined with this good work, the breeders have worked with one another in a fashion that was always in the best interests of the breed, both from the standpoint of type and production.

"In this connection it is interesting to note that the prize winners and champions in the milking classes all have very creditable production records, indicating that the herds are composed, not of fashion fanciers, but sound commercial cattle that will always be profitable.

SHOWS THE POSSIBILITIES

"The success that Mr. Burbidge has achieved shows what can be done by rigid adherence to sound policy. About ten years ago he purchased two cows and a bull from Mr. Matson, his first purebreds. He selected the highest quality, and built up a wonderful herd. Today that herd has many Island-bred individuals, and they were all purchased with funds obtained through the sale of cattle of his own breeding from that sound foundation established ten years ago.

"Mr. Burbidge's reason for purchasing imported stock is to sell high-class foundation sires. The cattle he has sold of his own breeding, however, cannot be termed as culls in any way for it should be noted that the herd owned by six different breeders and purchased from Mr. Burbidge were outstanding among the prize winners at this exhibition."

Mr. Auld drew attention to the smaller herds entered in the show from Vancouver Island farms. These were owned by Capt. C. P. Gibson, "Woodcote" Sidney; Dr. Robert Miller, Rocky Point; Major A. D. Macdonald, Brentwood; Harry Pain, Sidney, and Arthur Wright, West-bank. C. E. Williams, G. Austen and J. Seath, all of Saanich, had individual entries. The judge stated that these breeders had all done well against the competition of widely experienced showmen and expressed the opinion that continued effort would result in equally widely known herds quickly becoming established.

SOUTH SAANICH FARMERS MEET

Institute Decides to Hold Forage Crop Contest—Good Prizes

INSTRUCTIVE ADDRESSES

KEATING, Aug. 23.—At the South Saanich Farmers' Institute meeting held in Keating Hall on Saturday evening, very interesting subjects were discussed by three different speakers.

Mr. Tice, of Victoria, explained clearly the world's grain exhibition, which is to be held in Regina in 1932. A committee was appointed to gather into this district, consisting of W. D. Mitchell, G. Spencer, G. Maskell, J. Hunn and J. Nimmo.

TOBACCO GROWING

Mr. Proino, of Vancouver, then spoke, strongly advocating the growing of tobacco as a side line for the Vancouver Island farmers, and stating that he was in a position to put in a large acreage if the industry was taken up.

Mr. Foster, of the Sidney Experimental Station, then gave an illustrated lecture on diseases common among loganberries, which was a reasonable topic discussed in an interesting manner. The speaker described each disease and its remedy, odds which were being tried to combat it. Mr Foster will give an illustrated address at the next meeting on "Treatment of Grain for Smut."

FORAGE CROP COMPETITION

It was decided to have a forage crop competition and a number of members have entered to compete for the excellent prizes offered by the Provincial Government. Any farmers in the district wishing to enter the competition have still time to do so by sending in their names at once to the institute secretary, George Simpson, Saanichton. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the Women's Institute.

MARKET NEWS LETTER

The market news letter of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, issued under date of August 22, says:

Victoria—Vegetables of all kinds, from local gardeners, are supplying the market demand. The first car of Italian prunes from Washington arrived today. These are selling wholesale at 90c to $1 per box. Bartlett pears are selling from $3.50 to $3.75; peaches at $1.35.

It will be of interest to fruit growers to know the percentage of apples packed in extra fancy, fancy C grade and household, as compiled by the Interior Committee of Direction. Taking fifteen leading varieties the gross percentage for extra fancy apples packed is 3.04, fancy 28.28, C grade 33.66, household 35.02. Prairie consumers are demanding bulk apples in greater volume as a low price, coupled with good quality, can be secured by this means during the harvest season. Fancy apples are more in demand than C grade after the harvest is past.

The following copy of a wire from Calgary gives the latest Prairie market news: "Weather has turned considerably cooler and there is a touch of Fall in the air. Some rather severe storms have been experienced in the surrounding country but the city itself had its first rain of any consequence yesterday. The local fruit and vegetable market shows very little improvement. It is sincerely hoped that the successful harvesting of the present crop will put some life in the country business as it has been nothing short of disastrous to date. American fruits still dominate the markets. The latest arrival being Washington Italian prunes. Jobbers are quoting these at a dollar. The laid in cost is 70c. Other cantaloupes are beginning to arrive in quantities. California and Washington melons of all kinds have enjoyed the largest sale in the history. Watermelons particularly have had a bumper year. American peaches and plums are still in the control of the market but demand very limited. There is a good demand for ripe tomatoes. The price today of $1.10 per crate was fairly general. Cucumbers are in good demand and jobbers are expecting a price advance at shipping point. Household Wealthies on the market are poor in color but stock clean and will fill temporary shortage. Local root and ground vegetables of all kinds supplying market."

Won at Prairie Shows

Photograph by Yeates

THIS group of young Jerseys, owned by A. E. Dunsvill, was exhibited at the Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Regina, Vancouver and Victoria exhibitions, where they won many awards. Vancouver Island entries at the fair last week, pitted against such competition as this, more than held their own. The group was taken over the fair circuit under the auspices of the Vancouver Livestock Exchange.

Nanaimo Poultry Farm Continues Contest Leader

Results in the Royal Standard egg-laying contest, 1929-30, conducted by the Vancouver Milling & Grain Co., Ltd., Vancouver, B.C., pen No. 42, ending August 21, were:

S.C. W.L.	Eggs Total	Week Eggs
W. S. Anderson, Vancouver	1,488	14
W. J. Anderson, Port Hardy	1,481	14
Nanaimo Poultry Farm, Nanaimo	1,456	14
Mrs. A. Bell, Victoria	1,455	14
R. W. Deakin, Port Haney	1,453	14
Mrs. Dunsdon, Armstrong	1,452	14
Frank Rae, Abbotsford	1,751	17
J. H. Hoffman, Victoria	1,751	17
Mrs. Hoffman, Victoria	1,751	17
W. H. Goodwin, Sarnaton	1,613	16
Gerrard & Son, New Westminster	1,613	16
Jas. Hall, Central Park	1,720	17
Mrs. Hoffman, Victoria	1,720	17
W. J. Gaddes, Port Haney	1,561	15
Hughstessen, Cloverdale	1,561	15
Mrs. Hughstessen, Cloverdale	1,561	15
Jessie Pet Poultry Farm, Nanaimo	1,548	15
J. Jones, Assaiet	1,547	15
F. Lucas, Port Coquitlam	1,548	15
Mrs. Lucas, Milner	1,548	15
Morris & Fullerton, Ladner	1,472	14
A. Ross, Victoria	1,469	14
R. S. Fleming, Victoria	1,469	14
Hugh Nelson, Sarnaton	1,720	17
J. Sawers, Lynn Valley	1,679	16
J. W. Dennis, New Westminster	1,679	16
Mrs. Dennis, New Westminster	1,679	16
R. S. Tunbridge, Mission	1,747	17
S. Wedlake, Sturgeon	1,653	16
Wesson Bros, New Westminster	1,653	16
A. J. Wray, Burnaby	1,596	15

S.C. B.R.		
O. Chappell, Comox	1,723	17
Nanaimo Poultry Farm, Nanaimo	1,723	17
Jessie Goodman, New Westminster	1,723	17
Samuel Lee, Murrayville	1,689	17
J. Mackrow, Vancouver	1,689	17
R.I.B. Club of America, Vancouver	1,687	17
Ross Russell, New Westminster	1,687	17
Mrs. Russell, Vancouver	1,687	17

LIGHT SUSSEX		
A. E. Purcell, Port Hammond	1,571	15
T. Y. Robinson, Victoria	1,571	15

BARRED ROCKS		
Omasha & Vancouver, Port Perry Island	1,518	15
G. Thom, New Westminster	1,518	15

WHITE WYANDOTTES		
Mrs. C. J. Rose, Vancouver	1,404	14

SUMMARY

Total eggs for week	1,404	
Highest and lowest eggs	24	1
Total	1,404	
Week 33rd—Jessie Pet Poultry Farm, 24 eggs.		
Pen No. 2, 341 eggs.		
High pen for week—A. J. Wray, 49 eggs. Jessie Pet Poultry Farm, 49 eggs.		
Production, 58.66%.		

DEEP COVE SCOUTS TO GIVE DEMONSTRATION OF THEIR TRAINING

DEEP COVE, Aug. 23.—Wednesday next, August 27, from 3 to 6 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Bull, School Crossroad, the Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs will put on a display of scouting activities.

In addition to helping along with the funds for their Winter programme, the scouts have decided to show the people of the district some of the things that a Scout and Cub learns to do. It is hoped through this means to gain the much-needed active support, not only of the parents of the troop, but of all the people of the district.

Besides the Scouts, display there will be a number of stalls and amusements. The Girl Guides will be present also to help with the tea arrangements.

TIMBER STAND IS SWEPT BY FOREST FIRE

Fire Which Started at Milligan Camp Spreads Over Wide Area

COAL CREEK CROSSED; HEAVY RAINS NEEDED

SHIRLEY, Aug. 23.—The fire which started in the vicinity of Milligans logging camp on Milligan is still giving the Forestry Department considerable trouble.

Last week it burnt over an old burned-off area as far as Coal Creek, thence up the west branch of the creek into the cobbly, mainly through scattered timber, for a distance of over five miles. Gangs of men, under Fire Ranger Plummer, left, of Vancouver, were keeping it in check where at all points, and the weather was comparatively calm.

JUMPS GUARD LINE

On Tuesday night it jumped the guard lines at the back of H. J. Kirby's clearing, crossed Coal Creek and climbed the hill, burning down an unoccupied cabin belonging to Harry Kirby. By Wednesday it was sweeping through what is known as the "Green Timbers," a stretch half a mile long and covering many acres, belonging to the Sat. Portage Lumber Company.

Hoses and cars were unable to get over this part of the road as falling, burning trees made it dangerous to all traffic.

WIDE AREA BURNING

On Thursday the fallen trees had been cut out, but many large standing trees are still burning quite close to the road and great care must be exercised.

Large gangs of men are working hard to control the fire, and the absence of heavy winds is in their favor, but the fire is still smouldering over such an extensive area that only heavy rains can put it out.

Voyage of 300 Miles In Made in Canoe by Maple Bay Resident

DUNCAN, Aug. 23.—Voyaging in a twenty-seven-foot Indian canoe equipped with an outboard motor, Charles Walcot, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Walcot, has just completed a 300-mile trip from Maple Bay to Tacoma, and return. The canoe built on the West Coast, is forty-five years old, and is said to have been bought for $10. Two months no longer in use, were taken on the canoe to afford a trip for spare parts.

Young Walcot started on Wednesday and followed a course via Sidney, Friday Harbor, Anacortes, and then down the east side of Puget Sound. On the return trip, after three days in Tacoma, he was stuck for a time on the mud flats off Port Connor and reached Friday Harbor at 2 o'clock the next morning.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

NANAIMO, Aug. 23.—In the city police court today yesterday Harold Jones, alias Curley Hicks, believed by police to have come from Seattle via Vancouver, elected for trial by jury on a charge of theft of $20 from a local resident.

Eighteenth Century Gale Responsible for Erection Of Sydney Harbor Bridge

If there had been less wind on April 22, 1730, the two halves of the centre span of the largest arch bridge in the world might not be meeting over the Sydney Harbor and drawing the two halves of Sydney together. It was a strong offshore wind that kept Captain Cook from taking the Endeavour into Twofold Bay. He went on up the coast to Botany Bay, where he spent a week. When the 17th Ministry displanted Philip in 1787 to found a settlement in Australia his orders were to go to Botany Bay, on the report of Cook and Banks. But for that chance gale the first settlement would have probably been at Twofold Bay, and the history of Australia might have been very different.

Philip quickly decided that Botany Bay was an impossible site, and he could not spend the time looking for a new one. He pitched his camp on the eastern side of the deep winding inlet of Port Jackson, which he discovered a few miles to the north of Botany Bay. And so, in the future, it will be Australia's New South Wales, and the largest city in Australia, that grows up around Sydney Harbor. Today Sydney Harbor is the hinterland of over 1,250,000, including its suburbs. The Metropolitan Water Board supplies 1,300,000, but its distribution in other metropolitan districts outside the metropolitan area properly so called. Among the cities of the British Empire inhabited mainly by the white race Sydney stands second only to London.

GREAT TRADE CENTRE

Sydney is not only the capital of New South Wales and the chief port of Australia; it is also the chief manufacturing city. With the increase of communication between the Pacific to the United States, and the great growth of Pacific trade, Sydney has become a great centre for the trade of the South Pacific, including the trade of the whole area of New South Wales, and the trade of the Australian and Great Britain.

Sydney lies mainly on the southern side of its harbor, between Port Jackson and Botany Bay. At a very early period in the city's history, reclamation of the harbor was carried to the north of the harbor, which is a drowned valley, with a long waterway. Today the northern suburbs, reaching from the ocean at Manly westward to the Lane Cove River, have a population of a quarter of a million. To the northward, too, is a strip of land stretching away to Broken Bay, which offers wonderful sites for the new suburbs needed for the expansion of the city.

DREAMED OF BRIDGE

As far back as 1816, Francis Greenway, the architect of genius patronized by Lachlan Macquarie, Governor and Captain-General of New South Wales, and the greatest ruler and empire builder that Australia has known, dreamed of a bridge joining the two sides of Sydney Harbor. He was more than a century ahead of his time. As time went on, bridges to carry the railways and roads to the north were built where Port Jackson narrows into Parramatta River, half a dozen miles to the west of Sydney, at Gladesville and Gladesville. The residential suburbs to north of the city were served by ferry steamers, which are one of the features of Sydney Harbor, carrying 100,000 persons into the city in the morning and back in the evening.

It was not until the boom years after the war that the bridge across Sydney Harbor seemed to have a chance of becoming more than a dream or a sketch on paper. It was then decided that the time had arrived to join the two sections of the city, and to give the northern part of the city a direct connection with the lines of the bridge over the Hawkesbury River, 40 miles from New York; others wanted a cantilever bridge.

Finally, in February, 1924, the tender of the British firm of Dorman, Long & Company, to build a cantilever bridge from the northern side of the harbor, to Milson's Point, on the northern, the largest arch bridge in the world, was accepted. The contract price was £4,217,721 18s. 6d., but the total cost will probably exceed £6,000,000. There were problems of borrowing in the New South Wales Government, the extra cost due to rise in wages, which have been large.

HIGHER THAN ST. PAUL'S

In planning the bridge it had to be considered that more than half the total traffic of Sydney, the chief port in Australia, had to pass under it. Above the narrows between Dawes Point and Milson's Point (in the centre of which, by the way, is a depth of 127 feet) the harbor widens out and sends off several arms. The wheat silos of White Bay, from which most of the wheat of New South Wales is shipped, the berths of many of the ocean and all the interstate steamer lines, the big coaling plant at Bal's Head, and the dockyard at Cockatoo Island, the largest in Australia, are all above the site of the bridge. Steamers up to nearly 20,000 tons have to go under the bridge.

The bridge had therefore to give headroom and clearance to big ocean liners. The central arch is a single span of 1,650 feet, and there is a clear headroom for shipping of 170 feet at low water. The top of the arch is 440 feet above the water, exactly the same height as the highest point on Hampstead Heath, and seventy-five feet higher than St. Paul's Cathedral. With its approaches the bridge is 3,770 feet long. The total width of the deck of the bridge is 160 feet. It carries four lines of electric railway, in addition to a fifty-seven-foot roadway and two footways. There are 27,000 tons of steel in the arch construction and 13,000 tons in approaches, or a total of 50,000. Much of this is Australian steel, the rest came from Middlesbrough.

ANCHORED IN SOLID ROCK

"The building of the bridge had to be carried on without interfering with the shipping of a port which is second in importance in the world, and, as already explained, most of this shipping passes under the bridge. The abutments are similar to that used by the contractors engaged in building the new Tyne Bridge at Newcastle. The arch was built on three sets of massive caissons, each half being built and anchored in solid rock by a set of 128 steel wire cables, each two and three-quarter inches in diameter. As the arch neared completion the caissons were subjected to a total tension of 21,000 tons. A special instrument was used, weighing 600 tons and with a maximum lift of 125 tons was mounted on the upper rib of each half arch. As the arch went on the cranes were drawn forward to new positions until finally they will co-operate in the final stages.

The cables are so arranged that just before the closing of the arch each half arch will be three feet above its final position. By shortening the cables the halves will be gradually lowered till they reach their final positions on a horizontal plan in the bottom rib of each true. Though the arch will be closed next month, it is expected that it will be eighteen months before the bridge is open for traffic.

As a concession to the graces the steel uprights of the approaches to the bridge are masked within pylons of granite quarried at Moruya, 300 miles down the coast. The Moruya granite is attractive enough, but the pylons are very much out of the picture in the general view of the bridge. What dominates the Sydney landscape and seascape is the great steel arch. This is nearly three times as high as the tallest building in the city, in which the maximum height allowed is 150 feet. It is higher than any hill for miles around, not till you reach the heights of North Sydney, four or five miles away, do you get above it.

It has been calculated that at the present rate of growth Sydney will have a population of 2,500,000 by 1963 at the latest. Of the present population only a fifth live on the northern side of the harbor. It may be that as the result of the bridge the proportion will be much nearer a half when the 2,500,000 mark is reached. The electric railways across the bridge will, it extension, bring within under half an hour of the centre of the city many thousands of acres of high-lying land at French's Forest, at present practically empty, and other large areas now unoccupied.

SUBURBS SPREADING

Middle-class suburbs are spreading out from the harbor, and factories are now beginning to occupy much of the flat land. The one independent town of Parramatta is now a suburb of Sydney. The suburbs on the northern side of the harbor are very heavily given up to residential areas. Manly, which will be little affected by the bridge, except indirectly, is a great surf-bathing and holiday resort. Mosman is a suburb of the same class as those out towards the Head on the south side while North Sydney and Lane Cove, which will be served directly by the bridge, are the beginnings of industrial areas with considerable factories. A density populated area stretches north of Milson's Point along the railway line, shading off to more thinly-occupied districts populated by fairly well-to-do business men.

There is of course, the question of what the linking of the two sides of the harbor may lead to the development of factories and business centres on the northern side to a much greater extent than would have otherwise been likely. And as Sydney's shipping centres have grown, wharves for deep sea vessels may be built in some of the deep water bays and coves on the north of the harbor. Already the north possesses the big coaling plant at Bal's Head. Deeper in the future is another question. Sydney has long since outgrown its harbor, though, but owing to the shallowness of the bay, the difficult entrance, and the partial nature of this shelter that it affords, it carries no shipping of any importance and it does not seem very likely that it ever will. If Sydney grows northward to Broken Bay it will need to use the southern side of that inlet, some magnificent coves and bays completely sheltered, and with deep water close inshore. Sydney will continue to expand in the westward and to some extent to the southward, but the main course of expansion is destined to be to the north. There are two sides to everything, and the growth of Sydney may have disadvantages as well owing to the bridge.—London Times.

DUMPING OF SOVIET COAL TO BE STOPPED

Early Action to Curtail Importations of Russian Product Is Expected at Ottawa

OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—Steps to curtail the dumping of Soviet Russia coal in Canada, will, it is understood, shortly receive the consideration of the Government. This coal, the alleged product to a considerable extent of convict labor, has been advertised for sale in Canada at the low rate of $5.50 per ton and increasing quantities have been coming into the Dominion since late early action, as a means of reducing unemployment in the coal areas of Canada, is probable.

The course of the Government would be in keeping with its proposal for a national fuel policy. Formulation of this policy will likely be based to a degree on a scientific research into certain phases of the problem.

HEAVY IMPORTATIONS

Nearly $1,250,000 worth of Russia Soviet coal was imported into Canada for the year ending July 31 last. Total imports for the year reached 305,270 tons.

For the four months ending in July alone 104,781 tons were imported at a value of $482,263. In June imports of this commodity reached 48,648 tons, and in July the amount was 27,288 tons. April and May showed imports of 3,200 and 7,535 tons, respectively. The four months period reviewed for 1930 show an increase of 80,546 tons as compared with April, May, June and July of 1929.

ENTERS BY MONTREAL

Official records show that by far the great bulk of these shipments enter Canada at Montreal, with lesser carcoes passing through the ports of Saint John and Halifax. A comparatively small tonnage passes through the ports of Vancouver and Goret.

Protests against the entry of Soviet Russia coal were registered repeatedly in Ottawa, and Commons last session. The basis of these complaints was that the importation of the product deprived Canadian miners of employment, especially during the off-season. In the current general election campaign also the increasing importations of this commodity arriving from Russia, figured in many speeches.

RELICS ARE FOUND OF OLD QUALICUM TRIBE

QUALICUM BEACH, Aug. 23.—While roadmen were at work on the new Highway west of Qualicum Beach, filling in a bridge, the workmen found a large number of unearthed relics no doubt of the Qualicum Indian tribe, who were almost annihilated by the Alberni Indians years ago. A survivor, Qualicum Tom, died only a few years ago near Little Qualicum.

Wild animals are becoming cheaper in Europe, good specimens of lions being offered at $750 each, hippopotamuses at $2,500, elephants at $3,000, and giraffes at $5,000 a pair.

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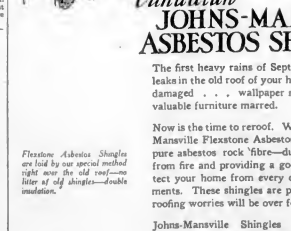

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MENZIES BAY ROAD NEARS COMPLETION

New Route Will Be Accessible to Vehicular Traffic in Few Weeks

RAPID PROGRESS MADE IN CONSTRUCTION WORK

Final Highway Will Open Many New Sources of Scenic Attractions

That portion of the Island Highway, known as the Campbell River-Menzies Bay section, is rapidly nearing completion. By "completion" is meant, not that the road will present anything like the appearance it will when graveled and made to follow the initial survey, but that a really good means of connection between Campbell River and Menzies Bay will have been provided.

At the present time the road is but a mile from its destination as projected for the current year, and great efforts are being made to complete a fairway for vehicular traffic by the middle of September, or at least by the end of that month. Two graders are at work near the Menzies Bay terminus of the road. In addition, two donkey engines are busy clearing away the huge quantity of stumps which have to be removed before even a temporary road can be made. This work is being preceded by an army of slashers, followed by a crew of men engaged in the task of blasting out the stumps left from previous logging operations.

On June 17 the road had not progressed much farther than the creek which overlooks Duncan Bay. But on that date the cookhouse was moved along a couple of miles or more, to a site where the old logging bridge crosses a deep gully, and about two miles from a point near Menzies Bay which overlooks the Seymour Narrows. Just above the old camp the road encountered a huge block of conglomerate, which has had to be blasted out. This work has been proceeding for the past three months and many hundreds of tons of rock have been removed, to be utilized in filling up the holes made by the blasting of stumps and for the bed of the road itself.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE

A gas shovel has been utilized to make the road, where practicable. This machine scoops up about three yards of dirt in eight big gulps. About thirty men are being continuously employed on the construction of the road, which is now in sight of the offices of the Campbell River Timber Company.

After September 30 at the latest the road should be available for motor traffic, with a reasonable amount of comfort. At the moment, the foreman of the construction gang is able to supervise the work of every unit at work. He can get his car to within a mile of the terminus, and a month of labor should easily make quite a presentable road before the tourist season ends.

In a brief interview a few days ago the provincial engineer responsible for the road, H. W. Stevens, stated that he was well pleased with the progress being made on the road under Foreman J. Perkins, and the district road superintendent, D. R. Macdonald.

The completion of the road, even in its temporary form will have a great effect on the tourist traffic on the Island. Not only this, but facilities will be provided for more speedily meeting the requirements of the various lumber camps at Menzies Bay and the hinterland. The road will pass by waterside camps of the Campbell River Timber Co., Bordell's and Lamb's. At present employees of these lumber camps have to reach their destinations either by speed boat from Campbell River, or by way of the thrice-weekly steamer from Vancouver, or by a detour via Forbes Landing and Campbell Lake. A railroad runs from Menzies Bay to the interior logging camp of the Campbell River Timber Co. and this will be greatly increased in its usefulness when there is through road connection from Campbell River.

Tourists already travel up the road as far as the second cookhouse, to which point the road is quite good and almost ready to be graveled. In a few weeks they will be able to get right through to the terminus of the road for the current year.

There is no doubt the Provincial Government means to complete the Menzies Bay section of the road before Fall. But it is not known outside official ranks, what if any work will be done in the way of graveling during the Winter. But there appear to be distinct prospects that the road will be ready next Spring for an attack on the Sayward section, and by that time the Menzies Bay section will be a real road.

Game is plentiful all through the road section. An early riser will see large numbers of grouse about. Deer abound, and may be seen at almost any time in the quieter sections of the road. Bear are around, while pigeons can be counted in flocks of many dozens flying all over the terrain.

It should be added that the road has been well served with culverts and bridges. A fine specimen of the trestle bridge has been constructed just above the old cookhouse overlooking Duncan Bay, and another to span a wide creek below the new camp. The gradients of the road reflect much credit on the surveyors. Nowhere is there any serious one which would impede the progress of any god car, nor are there any detours from the straight line of roadway except where engineering difficulties have made such absolutely imperative.

The Island Highway is something to be proud of, and such a combination of utility and scenic attraction as it will present in its final state, should secure for it abundant and lucrative traffic.

In a recent month 226,400 tons of nitrate were produced in Chile.

Peacemakers on 'Round the World Tour

ANIMATED by a desire to promote universal peace, the Wander-Well expedition, on a journey around the world, is pictured above as it passed through the East. The group consists of, left to right: Miss I. Hoxie, England; Florence Bergare, France; Lieut. Hans Wel-fare, Alsace-Lorraine; Misses P. and B. Rennie, of the United States, and Fritz Muller, of Germany.

$6,000 IS NOT YET COLLECTED

Gordon McLeod Players' Manager Re-emphasizes Appeal for Fund

COMPANY IS ALL READY

"On behalf of the committee which was formed to bring back the Gordon McLeod Players for a season of twenty weeks at the Royal, I should like to state that the matter of raising the necessary guarantee of $6,000 is still far from completion and the sum, or the larger part of it, must be secured during the next ten days," said C. Myddleton-Evans, manager of the company, who has recently returned from California. "In case some of the patrons of the theatre do not understand the nature of the guarantee, may I say that Mr. McLeod, who is in Hollywood at present, has been able to secure a first-class company of English artists, but these artists must be guaranteed their return fares and a certain number of weeks' work at whatever their salaries may be."

Mr. Myddleton-Evans mentioned also that a great deal of new scenery had to be painted and many et ceteras bought to insure even better productions than last season. Therefore there was an initial outlay, but if the season was successful here there was no reason why, at the end of the twenty weeks, the guarantee should not be intact, showing a good profit. In Vancouver the English Guild Players had been able to secure a home of their own. This had been brought about by the support given them by the citizens of Vancouver. There was no doubt if the same support was given to the Gordon McLeod English Players here they could become a yearly institution. At the end of the season the money would be returned to the donors, provided the support was adequate, through the Bank of Montreal, which, with the committee, would have the entire handling of the money.

"It seems to be the general opinion in the city that a company of this sort is a great asset to Victoria during the Winter months, and the sum asked for is not enormous. I feel sure if the patrons of the theatre realize that unless the money is subscribed during the next ten days Victoria will lose one of its chief Winter attractions they will readily come forward," Mr. Myddleton-Evans notes.

$3,000 REQUIRED

At least three thousand is still required. All subscriptions should be sent direct to E. McMullen, manager of the Bank of Montreal, in trust for the Gordon McLeod Fund. Mr. Myddleton-Evans has made personal calls upon many people, who have, almost without exception, responded readily. The The movement is being supported by most of the leading people of the city, including His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

"The matter," says Mr Myddleton-Evans, has become urgent on account of time and the fact that Mr. Denham is kindly keeping the theatre free for us as long as he possibly can. It is hoped to open the first week of October So may I make a personal appeal to all those I know and have not been able to see, but whom I know to be interested in the company, to help the fund. All contributions from five dollars up will be welcome. Miss Christine will again be with us and Mr. McLeod has specially selected all the other artists, so that patrons may be assured of seeing first-class productions."

TARDIEU PRAISES SCOUTS

In presenting the Cross of the Legion of Honor to Cannon Cornette, Chaplain-General of the French Boy Scouts, Prime Minister Tardieu spoke in highest terms of the spirit animating the Scout movement. In 1914, he said, the French Scouts numbered 7,000, but they have now increased to 35,000.

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Has Theory Acid in Rain Eats Stone

MT. VERNON, Iowa, Aug. 23.—It may rain "pitchforks" or "cats and dogs" for the layman, but not for Dr. Nicholas Knight. For this veteran head of Cornell College chemistry department it rains nitrogen to fertilize fields, salt from the ocean and even sulphuric acid that eats away at skyscrapers.

For twenty-one years Dr. Knight has been studying the chemistry of precipitation, and when it rains he knows what it is raining. He has analyzed 1,000 samples of rain caught in dishpans in his back yard.

In every inch of rain that falls on an acre of ground in Iowa, Dr. Knight says, there is one or two pounds of nitrogen. Furthermore, rain which falls during a thunderstorm contains more of the plant food than less boisterous rain. Every year rain deposits four or five pounds of salt on each acre of Iowa land after carrying it from the Atlantic Ocean or the Gulf of Mexico, he has found.

Only during the furnace fire season does the doctor find sulphuric acid in rain. He believes the acid is one cause of the disintegration of limestone in large city buildings.

NEW YORK HAS NEW METHOD OF TESTING ADVERTISING PULL

Thousands of pedestrians in New York have recently been subjected, unwittingly, to an ingenious series of tests. The experiment were conducted by displaying pictures, advertisements and other attractions in a shop window on a busy street, with observers concealed, stop watches in hand Tables were compiled, the aim being to learn the relative attention drawn by the various displays.

Dr. H. K. Nixon of the School of Business at Columbia University was in charge of the experiments. Anthony Wayne, describing them in a bulletin of the United States Chamber of Commerce, says:

"A vacant store was selected for the tests where passersby, it was determined, represented a typical cross-section of New York's population. An average of eighteen pedestrians passed the shop every minute.

"Commonly held ideas as to the attracting power of certain types of pictures were not entirely borne out. Advertisements were displayed containing pictures of both men and women. Only about a third of those passing glanced in, while only 5 per cent stopped. Women were found to pay more attention to pictures of women, while male pedestrians seemed more interested in the advertisements featuring men. Of twenty pictures that drew the most notice, only half were of figures partly clothed.

"Children under ten showed the greatest interest. Adults evinced waning enthusiasm in proportion to advancing age. Colored people paid less heed than did whites.

"By the use of decoys it was found that interest could be stimulated—thus testifying anew to the validity of the old follow-the-lead influence. These decoys were a young man and a young woman of good appearance. They proved more effective as a magnet than did the window display alone.

"The length of time pedestrians spent looking in at the pictures varied from one-third of a second to a minute and a half, the average being about eight seconds. Upon the whole, men showed a greater tendency to pause than did women.

"Curiously, pictures of people in action proved less potent in fixing attention than did pictures showing people inactive."

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The appreciation of Lord Bledisloe, Governor-General of New Zealand, for the rescue by the Matson Line steamer Ventura of the passengers and crew of the steamship Tahiti was conveyed to the State Department today by the American Consul, Bernard Gotlieb, at Wellington, N.Z.

The Governor-General, the Consul said, asked that there be conveyed to Captain Meyer and the officers and crew of the Ventura an expression of his personal admiration of their gallant action in going to the rescue of the steamship Tahiti, as well as his appreciation of the fine seamanship displayed in effecting transhipment of passengers under difficult circumstances.

SEEK "TRIGGER" THAT CREATES EARTHQUAKES

Scientists Seek Solution of Force That Causes Earth Tremors

CHANGES IN WEATHER MAY BE RESPONSIBLE

NEW YORK, Aug. 26. — The "trigger" force that sets off earthquakes like Italy's disaster is identified vaguely in scientific theories that place it all the way from gravitation coming from the outer space to the earth's own depths. This "trigger," the final force that kicks the 'quake into action, is sought as one possible means of forecasting 'quakes.

Gravitational forces are agreed as one basis of earthquake power. But the condition that upsets the balance of rocks, of mountains, or whole sections of the earth's crust, so that they stand like a house of cards, ready to be tumbled down by a comparatively slight push, has not been agreed upon.

SUSPECT CAUSE

Identifying the "trigger" is one beginning for penetrating further back into the mystery. One suspected "trigger" is the microseisms which have come to light recently with the advent of super-sensitive seismographs Microseisms are tremors that barely move the recording needles. Their cause is not known, but changing weight of the air that accompanies weather changes is suspected.

Another unproven trigger is the weight of the ocean tides sweeping over the continental shelves, which are the comparatively shallow water surrounding continents as far as 100 miles off shore. Another which might be either trigger or the builder of the house of cards, is the possibility of tides in "solid" earth. Harlan P. Stetson, director of Perkins Observatory at Delaware, Ohio, this Spring advanced arguments that these earth tides actually exist.

EARTH WOBBLES

Chase S. Osborn, now candidate for the U.S. Senate in Michigan, holds that the well-known wobble of the earth's poles with the consequent tipping, and readjusting of the earth's shape accounts for the unbalancing. The theory of isostasy is widely held. This means that the earth's crust instead of being a uniformly solid cover, is made up of sections of all sorts of sizes and weights that must balance against each other, with almost fluid movements. Asthenoliths are another hypothesis. They are sections where melted rocks thirty to sixty miles below the surface thrust upward heat and gases that cause both volcanoes and earthquakes.

The melting of rocks is held to come from extra pressure of an unbalanced earth crust above them. An asthenolith might grow anywhere.

DENIES PRINCE OTTO IS NOW IN BUDAPEST

Great Excitement Occasioned by Reports of His Return Disguised as Priest

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Aug. 23.—Official denial by authorities that the former Empress Zita and her son, Otto, pretender to the Hungarian throne, had returned to Budapest to undertake a coup d'etat failed today to quiet excitement occasioned by the reports.

Despite denials of Otto's return, police guarded public buildings and other strategic positions.

First reports the young Archduke had returned here, reached the city four days ago at the beginning of festivities in honor of the Hungarian St. Emery.

The police promptly suppressed publication of the rumor, which was that Otto, clad in a priest's robe, had arrived at the same time as a large delegation of priests from a seminary in Belgium, where he has been in school.

B.C. OPEN GOLF SET FOR SEPT. 11 AND 12

Seventy-Two-Hole Medal Test Will Be Staged at Point Grey Club —Entries Close Sept. 9

VANCOUVER, Aug. 23. — Less than three weeks remain before the next big links attraction on the Coast is staged. Both professionals and amateurs will participate, the event bei ; the third annual British Columbia Open championship, which will be played at Point Grey Golf and Country Club course September 11 and 12.

The championship will be decided by 72 holes of medal play, 36 on each day. Amateurs will be entered on handicap basis, those whose club handicap is 14 or under being eligible to compete. Full handicap will be allowed in this event.

Money prizes will be awarded the leading professionals, while trophies will be provided for the Simon pures. An entrance fee of $5 will be charged.

Entries will be received by Duncan Sutherland, professional at Point Grey Golf and Country Club, and these must be in his hands by 5 p.m. September 9, or if mailed, postmarked as on that date.

Nearly 25 per cent more Americans visited Austria this year than last.

MANY FOREST FIRES STILL SMOULDERING IN N. SASKATCHEWAN

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Aug. 23. Twenty-eight fires are smouldering or burning slowly in Northern Saskatchewan's timber areas, it was announced today by local forestry officials after compilation from weekly summaries received by radio from the station in Saskatchewan's northern hinterland.

Of these one is a serious blaze at Nunn Lake, thirty miles east of Lac La Ronge, being not under control after burning over five townships. While it is not raging furiously through timber skirting the burnt-over area, such a large section is smouldering that unless the humidity remains relatively low and no high winds spring up until suppression forces succeed in getting the upper hand, a flare-up with serious consequences may result.

The Frog Portage outbreak, which ravaged 1,900 acres of black spruce, is now under control.

TACOMA, Aug. 23.—Harpooned in Oakland Bay, near Shelton, after a battle of more than twelve hours, a fifty-five-ton humpbacked whale, the first sea beast to be killed in lower Puget Sound for thirty-two years, is being towed here.

At the scene of its death struggle after being wounded a score of times and harpooned twice, the huge body was floated at high tide shortly after 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon and was being brought to Tacoma by a tugboat.

FIRING RESUMES IN FRONTIER PROVINCES

Body of 3,000 Afridis Have Assembled at Bagh—Heavy Fighting Near Kharlachi

SIMLA, India, Aug. 23.—Heavy firing has been resumed on the several frontier districts of the Northwest Province during the last twenty-four hours. A body of 3,000 Afridis has assembled at the town of Bagh.

Yarakzai and other Mohmand tribesmen left for Gandao yesterday to offer resistance to the hostile forces.

While reconnoitering yesterday an aeroplane of the British Royal Air Force was fired upon at the Upper Kurram, near Kharlachi, eight miles west of Parachninar. At that point heavy fighting was going on last night and the night before. Peacefully inclined Afghans have arrived at Parachinar in an effort to secure terms for withdrawal of the enemy forces.

It is reported from Waziristan that prominent leaders have secured the help of three of the most important Wazirs and 4,000 horsemen, collected for an attack on Datta Khel or Wana.

Warnings of the massing of hostile forces at that point have been spread throughout the districts and today aeroplane scouts were keeping close watch upon the arena.

COTTON INDUSTRY IN SERIOUS PLIGHT IN LANCASHIRE TOWNS

MANCHESTER, England, Aug. 23—The Lancashire cotton industry which draws most of its raw material from the Southern United States and exports it as manufactured textiles to the Near and Far East, is face to face with the gravest crisis of its history. The plight of the once vast industry is fully revealed in a Government report, drawn up after months of investigation, which tells the industry, without mincing words, that it must reorganize or get out of business.

While trade statistics show that the world each year is using more cotton goods than before the war, Lancashire's share of the trade has declined dangerously. A year ago the little cotton spinning town of Burnley had only 5,261 unemployed cotton operatives. Today the figure is 15,000. The unemployed of Blackburn jumped from 7,443 last year to 27,000 today, while the unemployed at Preston increased from 8,819 to 13,368.

TOKIO, Aug. 23.—The examination committee of the Privy Council today heard Premier Hamaguchi, Foreign Minister Baron Shidehara, and Admiral Takarabe, Minister of the Navy, explain the London Naval Treaty.

Although the proceedings were not published it was understood the committee men received the ministers' explanation quietly and asked few questions.

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BLACK—Miss Menchik

WHITE—Sultan Khan

The play is the end of the last game.

WHITE	BLACK
13. P x N	13. Q B 3
14. N B 3	14. B K 2
15. Q B 2	15. P K R 3
15....., P K R 4 !	
16. P K N 4 !	16. P x P
17. N K 6	17. N x N
18. B P x N	18. Q K 1
19. B N 6	19. Q Q 1
20. R x R ch	20. B x R
21. R B 1	21. B K 2
22. B R 7 ch	22. K R 1
23. N B 4	23. P K N 3

White threatens mate by 24. N N 3 ch; 25. N B 2 ch; 26. Q R 7 mate.

24. N x N P ch	24. K N 2
25. N x B	Black resigns

A game from the I.T.T.

WHITE	BLACK
Dr. Alechin (France)	E. Gilfer (Iceland)
1. P Q 4	1. P Q 4
2. P Q B 4	2. P K 3
3. N Q B 3	3. N K B 3
4. B N 3	4. B K 2
5. P K 3	5. Q N Q 2
6. N B 3	6. P B 3
7. P Q R 3	7. Castles
8. Q B 2	8. P x P
9. B x P	9. N Q 4
10. B x B	10. Q x B
11. Castles	11. N x N
12. Q x N	12. R K 1
13. Q R Q 1	13. P Q B 4
14. B N 5	14. P x P
15. Q x P	15. P B 3
16. R Q 2	16. R Q 1
17. K R Q 1	17. K B 1
18. Q K 4	18. P K N 3
19. P K R 4	19. P Q R 3
20. B R 4	20. P K 4
21. P R 5	21. R N 1
22. P x P	22. P N 4
23. P x P	23. K N 2
24. N R 4	24. Q B 2
25. Q K N 4 ch	25. K R 1
26. B B 2	Black resigns

A bright game from "Social Chess" in The B.C.M.

WHITE	BLACK
Freeborough	
1. P K 4	1. P K 4
2. P K B 4	2. P x P
3. N K B 3	3. P K N 4
3....., P Q 4 ! 4. P x P, N K B 3 !	
4. P K R 4	4. P N 5
5. N N 5	5. P K R 3
5....., P Q 4 ! 6. P x P, P K R 3; also 5....., N K B 3 !	
6. N x P	6. K x N
7. P Q 4	7. P Q 4
8. B x P	8. P x P
8....., N K B 3 ! 9. N B 3, B N 5 !	
9. B B 4 ch	9. K N 2
10. N B 3	10. N K B 3
11. Q K 2	11. N B 3
12. Castles Q R	12. N x P
13. Q B 3	13. P B 4
14. B K 3	14. B K 2
15. N x P	15. Q N 3
16. N N 3	16. R B 1
17. P B 3	17. N K 3
18. N R 5 ch	18. K N 3
19. B Q 3 ch	19. N K 5
20. B x N ch	20. K x N
21. R Q 5 !	21. R x Q
22. B B 4 ch	22. N N 4
23. P x N mate.	

The gambits, very popular two generations ago, are still occasionally practiced by Rubenstein, Spielman and Tartakower, but since the 1913 Gambit Tournament it has been found that by an immediate counterattack in the centre, without attempting to maintain his gain in material, Black obtains an equal, if not the superior game. See note 3....., P Q 4 !

A fine game by the Indian at Scarborough.

WHITE	BLACK
Mir Sultan Khan	Miss Menchik
1. P K 4	1. P Q B 3
2. P Q 4	2. P Q 4
3. P x P	3. P x P
4. B Q 3	4. N Q B 3
5. P Q B 3	5. Q B 2

Wagner vs. Nimzowich ran 5....., N B 3; 6. P K R 3, P K 4, 7. P x P, N x P; 8. Q K 3, Q K 2.

6. N K 2	6. P K 3
7. B K B 4	7. B Q 3
8. B N 3	8. N B 3
9. N Q 3	9. Castles
10. P K B 4	10. N K R 4
10....., N K 2 ! 11....., N B 4.	
11. Castles	11. P B 4
12. R B 1	12. N x B

This exchange of a good defensive piece for an inactive one favors White's attack. 12....., B Q 2 ! 13....., B K 1.

The remaining moves are with the diagram at the head of the column.

CHESS NEWS AND NOTES

England—The Scarborough Congress—The high level of much of the play has merited the praise bestowed by American, European and British papers. The B.C.M. devotes fourteen pages to fine points and seven games of super merit analyzed by J. H. Blake, a former British champion, whose notes are a liberal education in chess strategy and tactics.

"The first prize was deservedly won by E. Colle, who played the best chess in the tournament. Bold strategy has only one real justification—a consummate command of tactics. This Cole has, and his style, without being fantastic or bizarre shows that touch of independence which is the authentic sign of mastery. His nearest competitor, Maroczy, also went through the tourney unbeaten. All his friends congratulate the famous Hungarian on this grand performance. The most startling success was that of Sultan Khan. Familiarity with European technique is not to be expected in one who as lately as last year could not read European books; hence the Indian's opening play, particularly with Black, has moments of blood-curdling jeopardy. Negotiating these hazards with philosophic calm, he affords a spectacle rich in a certain dreadful fascination for all who think that heaven sends chess and the Devil sends analysis."—British Chess Magazine.

Belgium—An I.T. began at Liege on August 18 with a display by Dr. Alechin on thirty-five boards. The Masters' Tourney includes Ahues, Colle, Nimzowich, Przepiorka, Rubenstein, Soultanbeieff, Tartakower, Becker, Sir G. Thomas, Vidmar and Weenink.

South Africa—A Transvaal Chess Federation has been organized, with headquarters at Johannesburg. The Transvaal University C.C. played its first match vs. Witwatersrand, the latter winning by 5-3.

Holland—Geza Maroczy and H. Weenink played a short match in Amsterdam, the former winning by 4½-1½.

Germany — A tournament of younger masters, organized by the Berlin Chess League, was won by P. Samish with 7 points; Salo Flohr, 5½; Rellstab, 5½. Ten competed. In the Berlin Championship Rellstab, Richter and Rotenstein all tied for first place. Another tournament of eight players was won by Frydman, of Warsaw, with 5½ points; B. Koch, 5; Rellstab, 3½. The Hamburg C.C. Championship fell to H Wagner.

Russia—In a big match at Leningrad the home side beat Moscow by 145½-107½.

Mexico—Boris Kostich, of Jugoslavakia, is at present in Mexico City fulfilling a six months' engagement, teaching chess to Mexican army officers. Before many moons he will visit California and other parts of the West en route to the East and his home in Europe. Dr. Alechin, who made many friends in Mexico during his visit in 1929 whom he hopes to visit after a stay in New York and a tour as far as the Middle West. Clubs desiring to engage the champion should communicate with H. Helms, Nassau Street, New York, his press agent and manager.

United States—President Leonard Meyer's awards for the brilliancy and best played game in the League says: "Kashdan's victory over Santasiere, besides being a remarkably well played game on the part of Kashdan with a brilliant ending has a real theoretical value, as the line of play adopted by the winner is a forced winning line against the variation of the Sicilian adopted by the loser." The game is in The Colonist of May 11, page 16.

He awards the brilliancy prize to Kevitz, with honorable mention to Deymicr. See our issue of June 1, page 13.

Marshall C.C.—The Weekly Rapid Transit Tournament resulted in a tie for first prize between R. Fine and A. Kevitz. A match between Fine and Forsberg, a former champion of the club, stand at: Fine 1 to 0.

The New York States Championship will this year be played for at Utica, a beautiful city in the picturesque Mohawk Valley, bordering the foothills of the Adirondacks rich in historical facts and traditions. The present champion, Herman Steiner, is still in Europe.

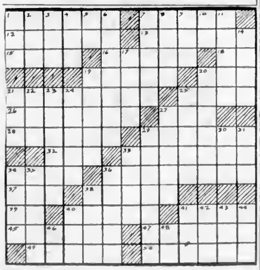
Checkers—From all sections of New England enthusiasts of the game of checkers are looking forward with expectancy to the big Summer outing sponsored by the Lynn Checker Club at Nahant on Labor Day. A. J. Hefner, the dean of American experts, will be present. Hefner, a former champion of America, is more than seventy years of age, yet he is still regarded as the most eminent of the analysts, his accurate criticism being always welcomed.

The New York Evening Post announces that the two New Yorkers Isaac Kashdan and Herman Steiner, are playing vs. Samish and Helling in Berlin. Kashdan beat Helling, while Samish had the better of Steiner at adjournment.

TELLS OF BOOT MEAL

How Dr. Stringer, Bishop of Yukon, ate his boots to save his life was told while he was visiting in Europe recently. "It came about in this way," he said. "I was going to visit some Eskimos in the middle of Winter, and became isolated in some very desolate Yukon country. At last I had only a few bits of chocolate left, so I pulled off my sealskin boots and toasted them, cut them into strips, and—ate them." He looked a trifle reminiscent. "Do you know," he said, "those boots were quite palatable, but the tops were not as good as the soles." Dr. Stringer, for nearly forty years, has patroled 200,000 square miles of the most desolate country in the world, where the temperature is often 40 degrees below zero.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

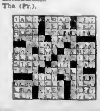


ACROSS

1. Equipping for defence.
7. Another.
12. Commander.
13. Quiver.
15. Girl's name.
16. Chemical compound.
18. Exist.
19. Confused fight.
20. Wickedness
21. Part of a circle.
25. Female deer.
26. Referred.
27. A letter of the alphabet.
28. Overlaid with gold or silver.
29. Volcanic peak of Northern California.
32. Beverage.
33. Prattle
34. Hastened.
36. An animal
37. Possessed.
38. Wrongs.
39. In, prefix.
40. Expert
41. Norse god.
45. Make numb.
47. Girl's name
49. Mongols related to the Siamese.
50. Leased.

DOWN

1. Spiritous drink.
2. Soak.
3. Small rug.
4. Girl's name.
5. Point of the compass (ab.).
6. Welcomed.
7. An animal.
8. Large plant.
9. Pronoun.
10. Printer's measure.
11. Common bird.
14. Tear.
17. Winter vehicle.
19. Mythological character.
20. A nap.
21. Dip gently into the water.
22. Sick.
23. Winged.
24. Silenced.
25. Tract of waste land.
27. Fellows.
29. Protection.
30. A number.
31. Craft.
33. Cut.
34. Small frame building
35. Parts of a window.
36. Smooths.
38. Paradise.
40. Woman's name
41. A color.
42. Strike.
43. Single.
44. A color.
46. Exclamation.
48. The (Fr.).



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

SOUND AUCTION and CONTRACT

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Saving Game by a Pre-Emptive Bid of a Minor

	♠ 8 4 ♥ Q 8 3 2 ♦ 2 7 3 ♣ K J 7 2	
♠ A 8 7 6 5 3 2 ♥ J 4 ♦ 3 ♣ A 4 2	N / W E / S	♠ K J 10 ♥ A 2 7 6 5 ♦ 2 2 ♣ Q 10 5
	♠ Q ♥ K 10 ♦ A K Q J 10 5 4 ♣ 2 3 5	

Contract and Auction Bidding

	1st Rd.
South	4 ♦
West	Pass
North	Pass
East	Pass

There are two general principles on which pre-emptive bids are based: First, probability of making game with but normal support from partner; second, the fact that own strength is massed principally in one suit.

The first gives us the size of the bid required to be really pre-emptive. If we take normal support from partner to be three probable tricks, then one should have seven tricks in a major suit and eight in a minor in own hand in order to go game.

The second consideration in itself involves the fear that opponents may have enough strength in the other suits to enable them to reach a game-going contract if they are allowed to bid. If such should not be the case partner would in all probability have the necessary strength to enable game to be scored at own declaration, since it is to be assumed that no trump assistance would be needed. Accordingly, pre-emptive bids should be made whole-heartedly and the full strength of the hand be bid immediately.

Taking the above deal as an example, South has seven and a half probable tricks in own hand. This does not quite reach the requirement of going game with three probable tricks in partner's hand, but the Queen of Spades, although alone, and the ten of Hearts held with the King increase the probabilities just enough to make the bid of four Diamonds justifiable. Furthermore, the extreme weakness of the two Major suits as to length gives an added incentive to shut out any adverse bidding.

As a matter of fact, had South opened the bidding with one Diamond, East and West would have arrived at a game-going contract at Spades. Also, had South made the half-hearted bid of three Diamonds. West undoubtedly would have overcalled with three Spades, and again East and West would go game unless South should take the sacrifice by bidding five Diamonds, in which case he would be set two instead of one.

SALIENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING

Contract and Auction: South opens with a pre-emptive bid of four Diamonds. West has six probable tricks in his hand with Spades as trump, but since he has no honors under the Ace and no reason to place East with better than normal support, a bid of four Spades seems unjustifiable? If East should have barely normal support for such a contract, it would be set one trick. If he has less than normal support, the contract would be set more.

North has less than normal support for a Diamond bid and, knowing that South has already bid the full strength of his hand, he also passes.

East has no reason whatever to over-call the Diamond bid, particularly at Contract, where game has not been bid for.

THE PLAY

The play of the hand is very simple. West opens the Ace of Spades. North plays the four, East the Jack and South the Queen.

East's Jack of Spades is necessarily an encouraging card. South's Queen may or may not be a false card. Accordingly, West leads a second round of Spades which South trumps.

South takes two rounds of trumps and attempts the possible but improbable establishment of the eight of Hearts in Dummy in order to discard one of his losing Clubs. This attempt failing, he takes the Club finesse, and this proving unsuccessful, he must lose one Spade, one Heart and two Clubs, being set one trick, but having 150 honors.

DEVELOPMENT OF HYDRO INCREASED THROUGH CANADA

Many Installations Comprise Only Initial Steps of Extensive Programme

GREATER HORSEPOWER THAN EVER DEMANDED

OTTAWA, Aug 22.—Looking back on the progress of water power development in Canada for the first six months of 1930, the Department of the Interior announces that at the present time hydro-electric construction amounts to a greater figure than at any previous period in the history of the Dominion.

Power plants now under construction promise to develop more than 1,680,000 horsepower, with an ultimate capacity of nearly 4,000,000 horsepower. This tremendous total will serve Canada for the near future. Many installations comprise the initial stages only of a programme that will keep step with the growth of the country's needs.

By far the largest project under way is that of the Beauharnois Light, Heat & Power Company, on the St. Lawrence River, about thirty miles from Montreal. A power and ship canal approximately fifteen miles in length and 3,000 feet in width will lead the water from Lake St. Francis to a 500,000 horsepower station located at Lake St. Louis. The first units supplying 200,000 horsepower are to be in operation by October, 1933, and by deepening the canal, production may subsequently be increased to 2,000,000 horsepower.

OTHER HUGE PROJECTS

The Shawinigan Water & Power Company has commenced construction of the first of six developments on the upper St. Maurice River, with an initial installation of 160,000 horsepower. At Chite a Caron, on the Saguenay River, about twenty miles below Lake St. John, the Aloca Power Company is making progress on the installation of four 85,000 horsepower units, which will be ready for operation early in 1931. A 90,000 horsepower plant at High Falls on the Lievre River is nearing completion by the James MacLaren Company, and other ambitious projects help to make Quebec a leader in power development.

In Ontario the Hydro-Electric Power Commission is carrying to completion this year a 54,000 horsepower development at Alexander Landing on the Nipigon River, from which power will be fed into the Thunder Bay system. The installation of the tenth unit of 58,000 horsepower in the Queenston station of the Niagara River is practically finished, and it will go into operation before Autumn. At Chats Falls on the Ottawa River the commission is jointly carrying out a 224,000 horsepower undertaking with the Chats Falls Company, the latter having a licence to develop on the Quebec side of the site.

IN NORTHERN ONTARIO

The rapid opening up of Northern Ontario has created a growing demand for power, and there are practically unlimited facilities for its development by water. At the canyon on the Abitibi River, the Hudson's Bay Power Company have begun construction of a 275,000 horsepower plant, and in the Cobalt District the Canada Northern Power Company is completing a 13,000 horsepower installation on the Montreal River. The Algoma District Power Company has recently added a unit of 11,000 horsepower to its High Falls plant.

Other provinces tell the same story of growth and activity. In Manitoba the Northwestern Power Company are utilizing the Seven Sisters site on the Winnipeg River to install six units of 37,500 horsepower each, and at Slave Falls the City of Winnipeg is planning eight 12,000 horsepower plants, to begin operation about September, 1931. In Saskatchewan, the first hydroelectric undertaking of the province was placed in operation on June 12, when power was delivered in Flin-flon over a fifty-eight-mile transmission from the 43,000 horsepower plant of the Churchill River Power Company at Island Falls, where an ultimate installation of 84,000 horsepower is expected.

NEW B.C. POWER PLANTS

The British Columbia Power Corporation has begun work at Ruskin on the Stave River, where there will ultimately be an installation of 168,000 horsepower. On the Bridge River is planned a unit which will one day develop 600,000 horsepower. In the Prince Rupert District the Northern British Columbia Power Company is constructing a Falls River plant, with an initial installation of 8,000 horsepower, to be increased to 32,000.

In Alberta the Calgary Power Company has completed a new transmission line which will carry power from the recently completed Ghost development on the Bow River to Edmonton, a distance of 175 miles. Other lines are being extended throughout the province.

The Maritimes have large resources in water power, and there the St. John River Company announce completion of their 60,000 horsepower plant at Grand Falls. At the same time the Nova Scotia Power Commission are putting into operation three new hydroelectric developments on the Mersey River, totalling more than 30,000 horsepower.

Such active development indicates that the Dominion, with its unrivalled resources, will take first place among the power-producing countries of the world, giving Canadian industry a greater impetus.

Switzerland plans to reduce its taxes on theatre and cinema tickets.

EXODUS OF ST. KILDA SOON

Within a few weeks the Island of St. Kilda, off the coast of Scotland, will be deserted. The inhabitants will be removed and settled on land belonging to the Board of Agriculture in Skye and Mull. There are thirty-seven people on the island, and it is expected that twenty-seven will be sent to Mull and eight to Skye, while one is to be sent to Glasgow and another to Inverness. It is not certain yet as to what will be done with regard to the sheep stock on the island. The arrangements with regard to the evacuation of the islanders were discussed at a meeting held in Inverness, at which Sir Reginald Macleod of Macleod, Charles Tinker, of Kilmartin, and Aleaxander Munro, of Leanach, were present, with M. Henderson, of the Board of Agriculture

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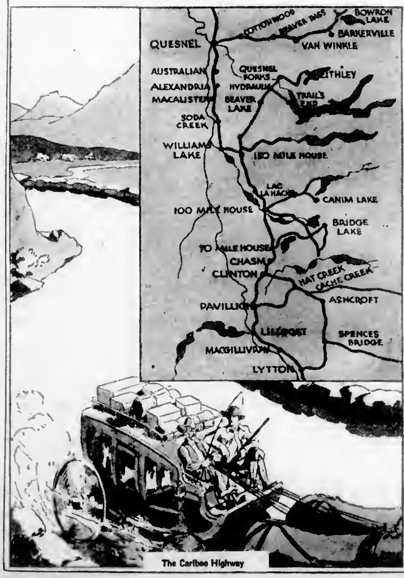

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Lutherans Turn Spotlight Upon Historic Event

Dramatic Ceremonies Mark Celebration of Luther Quater-Centenary in Germany, Centred on City Where Lutheran Confession Was Signed June 25, 1530

Cordiality Shown by Catholics

TWO dramatic celebrations of world-wide interest have taken place this Summer in Bavaria. The one was at Oberammergau, where the Catholic villagers presented the Passion Play in memory of deliverance from plague. The other was at Augsburg, whose Protestant citizenship through pageant, procession and preaching turned the spotlight upon the historic occasion of June 25, 1530, when Emperor Charles V signed the Confessio Augustana, or Confession of Augsburg, and by that act launched Lutheranism as the state religion of Germany.

While Oberammergau has drawn a larger attendance, more especially from countries overseas, enthusiastic crowds have participated in the many celebrations of the Luther-Quarter-Centenary that have been held in various parts of Germany. It is a notable year for Lutheranism. The Augsburg Confession is the credo of Lutheran, corresponding to the Thirty-Nine Articles of the Church of England and the Westminster Confession of Faith of the Presbyterians. Lutherans number eighty millions of the world's population, and the Lutheran Church is the state church of Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Iceland, and up to the time of the recent revolution, in Germany, of that country. They constitute one of the major communions on this continent, although not largely represented in Canada. This large religious body is during this year paying special attention to the personality and work of its founder, Dr. Martin Luther, and the more momentous occasions in his career.

EPOCHAL EVENT PORTRAYED

Of all the celebrations, that held at Augsburg is said to have been the most extended and colorful. Augsburg, a city in which the ancient and modern are combined, was thronged with visitors from all parts of Germany. With magnificence and historical precision the meaningful day four centuries ago was portrayed. Fifteen hundred people took part, with 300 musicians and 300 horses. Here was Luther, the lonely monk, the Emperor Charles, the magnificent cardinals and the princes of the Diet. There also, writes The Guardian correspondent, were the Evangelical pastors, with their wives and children, driven from their homes. Not least were the thousand trumpeters who played the old German chorales with shattering effect.

Four thousand of the elite of Germany crowded the Barfusser-kirke—the Barefoot Church—a church of cathedral size, and there must have been twenty thousand outside. Hays was heard the glorious music of Bach, writes Mr. Harry Jeffs in The Christian World, and other Protestant masters of music. To crown the whole, all joined in singing with organ, trumpets and orchestra accompaniment, Luther's own hymn, actually written in 1529, one year before the epochal day, "Ein Feste Burg Ist Unser Gott."

The event thus dramatically portrayed belonged to a stirring period in the history of Christendom. Consequent upon the movement started by Luther, Germany was rent by conflicting forces. It was a day of the making of creeds and of the upholding of them by force of arms. The Augsburg Confession was such a document. It was presented at the request of Emperor Charles V, who was very desirous of uniting the Empire. Though Charles was a Romanist, the Confession is a Protestant declaration. The joint work of Melanchthon and Luther, it stressed the Nicene Creed definition of the unity of the Trinity, and it repudiated the doctrine and celebration of the Mass. Though himself opposed to its tenets, seven princes of powerful states were on Luther's side, and Charles signed it therefore as the Empire's declaration of faith, thus constituting Lutheranism as the state religion.

One writer describes the historic occasion thus: "It was Charles who had asked for a Confession to be prepared that would make for peace within the Empire but he sat sullen and silent, the folds of his head-dress hiding his face during the two hours of its reading in a hall he had chosen because he wanted the fewest possible to hear it. It happened, however, that with open windows thousands standing in the courtyard or in galleries outside listened to what they held to be a direct message from heaven. Charles wanted the Confession read in Latin, but the Lutheran Princes, Philip of Hesse at their head, insisted on it being read in German." The reading of the salient passages of the Confession is reported to have been the high water mark of the recent celebration.

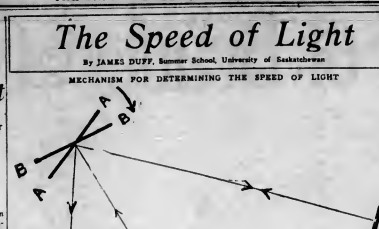
All the accounts of the ceremonies emphasize the fact that the Burgomeister and the majority of the citizens are Roman Catholic, yet so far from there being any tinge of religious bitterness, hospitality was displayed on the Catholic churches and the Burgomeister paid a tribute to Luther which was welcomed by all the Protestants. "President," he said, "has divided us. We must take care that this separation does not prevent us from having Christian understanding and Christian love for one another and a love for our common homeland."

Heart beats and the sound of breathing have been sent from South America to Spain by a new instrument so clearly that doctors in Madrid have been able to diagnose the diseases of patients 8,780 miles away in Buenos Aires.

The Speed of Light

By JAMES DUFF, Summer School, University of Saskatchewan

MECHANISM FOR DETERMINING THE SPEED OF LIGHT



Light From L, Is Reflected From a Rotating Mirror, AA, to a Stationary One, M, and Back Again. In Michelson's Experiments the Distance Between Mirrors Is Twenty-Two Miles

Editor's Note—This is the twenty-fourth of a series of fortnightly articles prepared under the auspices of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada for newspapers by various members of the organization scattered from coast to coast. It is hoped thereby to accomplish one of the aims of the society, namely the diffusion of astronomical knowledge in the ordinary person. The next article will appear on September 8.

"I'll put a girdle round about the earth
In forty minutes."—Puck.

Soon after Shakespeare wrote these words, Galileo made the first attempt to measure the speed of light, a speed which could girdle the earth in one-seventh of a second to my nothing of forty minutes. Up to that time the idea prevailed that seeing was an instantaneous relation set up between eye and object irrespective of distance, so that no one thought of any speed of light. In Galileo's experiment one man, A, displayed a light, B, a mile away, at one did likewise, and A watched to detect any appreciable interval between the time he opened his light to and fro. One notes that B's reaction time would be about one-third of a second, long enough for light to go twice around the globe. Though a failure, the method had one good feature, i.e., the returning of the light-message to the sender, and this has been retained in the modern methods, with the improvement of having a mirror to return it, thus avoiding the "lag" introduced by the human assistant, B.

The first success, however, was scored without resorting to such devices. Roemer, a Danish astronomer, about 1675 observed that the eclipses of Jupiter's satellites by the planet appeared to occur later and later during half the year (earth receding from Jupiter) and earlier and earlier during the other half (earth approaching Jupiter). The maximum discrepancy appearing to be about twenty minutes. He had good reason to think that the satellites revolved uniformly and therefore concluded that with increasing distance the light message took longer to reach the earth and vice versa. The twenty minutes was the time taken to cross the earth's orbit. This was afterwards found to be sixteen or seventeen minutes, or say, 1,000 seconds to go 186 million miles, and therefore the speed is 186,000 miles per second.

In 1728 Bradley found that the light from a star did not come from a star's true place in the sky. To illustrate: suppose rain falling on a windless day. The drops fall straight down on a man standing still. If he walks briskly ahead, he must incline the drops strike him in front and the degree of slant depends on the speed of advance relatively to the velocity of the falling drops. So with the rain of light from the star directly overhead, the flight of the earth along its orbit at eighteen miles per second corresponds to the walker's speed, the small angle through which the telescope must incline indicates the relative magnitude of the two speeds, and therefore determines the velocity of light. The value found confirmed Roemer's results.

About 1850 Fizeau at Paris sent a beam of light between the teeth of a rapidly rotating wheel which caused the beam into separate "pulses" of light. A distant mirror sent them back between the teeth of the wheel, when the speed of the wheel was taken to obtain another. When this was increased the returning pulses were stopped by the following tooth and from the distance to the mirror and the number of teeth passing per second, the velocity of light was easily inferred.

A still better method was invented by Foucault and later developed to a high degree of refinement by Newcomb and Michelson. A beam of light from L (see diagram) strikes AA, a mirror rotating as shown by the arrow, is reflected to the fixed mirror M and is returned to the rotating mirror. This meanwhile has reached a position, BB, so that the beam is now returned to B and not to L as it would have been if AA were fixed. The angle of divergence, together with the distance between the mirrors, gives the velocity sought with great exactitude. Michelson considers his results accurate to one part in 10,000.

Light takes two over minutes to reach us from the sun, four hours from the planet Neptune, over four earth along its orbit, about eight; nearly a million years from the Andromeda nebula (the nearest island universe), and 150 million or more years from some of the remoter nebulae.

One Man in Seven Is Blind to Color

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 22.—While most women have an inherent color taste, one out of every seven men are blind, declared Charles Conquergood, of Toronto, speaking on "Color" before the advertising club of this city. He believed, however, that in many cases a taste for color could be developed in much the same way as a taste for music.

The painting of "Ferdinand the Colonist," depicted by Jan Van Eyck, which was stolen from Lord Clarendon's Hampstead, England, residence after a garden party, has been found by the police in a trunk in a bedroom of a house at Stamford Hill.

HIGHER SALARY FOR PREMIER OF BRITAIN URGED

Committee Suggests Increase of $10,000 for Ramsay MacDonald

SUGGESTS NEW SCALE FOR CABINET MEMBERS

LONDON, Aug. 22.—A proposal to raise the salary of the Prime Minister by $10,000 a year has aroused considerable discussion.

It was the only definite recommendation of the select committee on ministers' remuneration, which issued a report recently. The committee had examined five witnesses—Sir Warren Fisher, Permanent Secretary to the Treasury; Stanley Baldwin, David Lloyd George, Ramsay MacDonald and Viscount Railsham—and as a result agreed that the salary should be raised from $5,000 to $25,000.

"Not only is his remuneration actually less than that of two of his colleagues," states the report, "but the circumstances of his position render his salary of less value than that of any other minister. The house in Downing Street, which he is practically compelled to occupy, is admittedly very inconvenient and costly to maintain; and he has to provide out of his salary for entertainments which cannot be classified as official functions properly chargeable to the Government hospitality fund."

NO OTHER SOURCE

In Canada the leader of the official opposition receives a salary of $10,000, equivalent to that of a Cabinet minister, but it is not so in England. The report goes on to remark of an English Prime Minister:

"His position, great as it is, is at best a temporary one, and it must not be forgotten that when he goes out of office he probably becomes Leader of the Opposition with a salary of $2,000 a year and no pension; and while his colleagues can, as ex-ministers, legitimately supplement their incomes in various ways, he alone is debarred from so doing."

The report summarizes the main recommendations of the committee of 1920, which included the proposal that the Prime Ministers' salary should be $40,000, and that all the other members of the Cabinet should receive the same total salary. At present several ministers receive only $15,000, while the Lord High Chancellor draws $50,000. The Attorney-General is given $35,000 and fees, the Solicitor-General $30,000 and fees. The committee would make no definite recommendations regarding these anomalies, and concluded:

"Your committee realize that one of the obstacles in the way of placing ministers' salaries on an equitable basis is the natural reluctance of any government to propose an increase, but they suggest, as an act of justice, that all parties should co-operate in carrying out the recommendation in regard to the Prime Minister's salary."

HAD VARYING FORTUNES

The varying fortunes of the Prime Minister make the salary paid an important consideration for some, while others need not give it a thought. Gladstone inherited great wealth from his father, but Disraeli repeatedly ran into debt. The Earl of Rosebery married into the Rothschild family and secured a vast fortune. The late Lord Oxford and Asquith was less successful at making money than his literary wife, and found himself a poor man in his old age, only to be relieved by the gifts of friends. Charles Conquergood, of Toronto, speaking on "Color" before the advertising club of this city. He believed, however, that in many cases a taste for color could be developed in much the same way as a taste for music.

THEATRICALITY IS LOVED BY FRENCH

Bay American Stage Realism Shows Lack of Artistic Imagination

PARIS, Aug. 20.—Eating real food and using wet raincoats on the stage make the Frenchmen think United States audiences lack imagination. The French prefer what Americans consider artificiality and "play acting." France's finest theatre, the Pigalle, called by experts the most equipped playhouse in the world, is almost ready to give up the ghost because, some critics think, it tried to give too much United States realism and forget the play's the thing.

Gaston Baty, one of the four leaders of theatrical modernism, resigned from management of the Pigalle recently, revealing that his policy of real food and loud thunderstorms had failed. Meanwhile, giving emphasis to the difference in the American and French theatre, an address at the Sorbonne, by Carl M. Bax, the Baltimore producer, explained somewhat the Pigalle's failure, not then generally known, by describing the psychology of French audiences.

Bax, who established an American theatre here, giving a series of six plays for ten days or two weeks each, stated his company must change its American methods slightly to satisfy his audiences, which were 60 per cent. French; but because the play cannot be entirely bridged. "A typical American 'theatre-goer'," said Bax, "prefers a naturalistic play, but even when he goes to see 'modern' drama he wishes to believe in the reality of what he sees. He wants it to be convincing, and he would like to forget he is in a theatre watching actors perform. To do with the French, it is the theatre is the theatre. They love fine artistic illusions. To the French scenery is scenery, and they make not the slightest demand that they be deceived into thinking it is anything else. And above all, acting is acting, and they glory in it as such."

In discussing the differences in Technique Comparedis, the principal theatrical paper, remarks of the American players in "The Barber," that "in order to make the audience believe the text was pitched outdoors they had to cover the stage with real sod, and in order to be convinced that it was raining the audience had to see and hear the rain as well as see the actors come in drenched from the shower."

The implication was that French actors could make an audience believe it was raining merely by telling them so, because French audiences had sufficient imagination.

Restricted building and construction activities in the Philippines is causing unemployment.

SWISS GUN CLOUDS FOR RAIN

While scientists of Europe are arguing whether Herr Versal, the Dutch scientist, really produced rain by dropping powdered ice from an airplane on to clouds, Swiss vine growers are continuing their method of commanding the skies to provide moisture. At various points in the Swiss hills they have mounted cannon with huge bell mouths resembling the horns of loud speakers. Once a cloud finds its way into a circle formed by these "guns" a volley is fired into it, often breaking it up and causing rainfall. The growers say they have been successful in ending a drought by this method.

To prove his contention that brain work evidently tends to long life, a European scientist recently mentioned Thomas A. Edison, who is eighty-three years old; Sir Oliver Lodge, who is seventy-nine, Bernard Shaw, seventy-four; Sir James Barrie, seventy, and Sir Hall Caine, seventy-seven.

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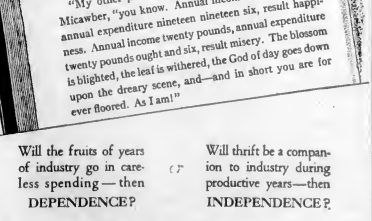

"My other piece of advice, Copperfield," said Mr. Micawber, "you know. Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure nineteen nineteen six, result happiness. Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure twenty pounds ought and six, result misery. The blossom is blighted, the leaf is withered, the God of day goes down upon the dreary scene, and—and in short you are for ever floored. As I am!"

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Distinctive and Picturesque Appearance

THE Dutch Colonial house has long since been listed as a standard type of North American architecture. It is distinctive in appearance, and best of all, there has been no striving for effect at the expense of space or material. Back in the days of New Amsterdam when the thrifty Dutch burghers were taxed according to their possessions and particularly according to the size of their homes, those burghers who had two-storey houses paid a larger tax than their brothers whose home was but one story.

Since the rooms in the attic did not add to the taxes the more astute of the settlers built their homes with two full stories, but brought the roof lines down so that the gamble or eave were at the first floor ceiling line, technically making them one-story houses. This, claim some, is the origin of the Dutch Colonial.

The roofs of the earlier Dutch Colonial houses were pierced by small dormers which let in sunlight and air. Today the modern version has broad dormers which cover most of the side of the structure.

The Norwalk which is pictured in adjacent columns, is a modern Dutch Colonial house. It has the picturesque lines of its type and well arranged floor plans. With six rooms, bath and breakfast nook this is a home that any family can build with the thought that they are getting full value for their money.

The dimensions of the Norwalk are twenty-eight by twenty-four feet. It will set comfortably on an average size lot. The siding is broad clapboard while the shingles are cedar.

The family which prefers a central hall with a residence will find the Norwalk meeting their needs. Here the living-room is on one side of the entrance hall and the dining-room is on the other.

The vestibule is not crowded and is provided with an inner door which keeps out Winter blasts of cold air. The entrance from the hall to both living and dining-room are plaster arches. The kitchen and breakfast nook are immediately behind the dining-room and are reached through a swinging door.

BEAMED CEILING

The living-room is large and informal in character but the massive beams of the ceiling giving the room a striking appearance. The large fireplace against the side wall is composed of tiles which add to the informal feeling of the room. Windows on three sides give cross ventilation and let in an abundance of daylight.

The interior decorating of the walls and trim has been in keeping with the general atmosphere of the room. Tinted plastic paint was applied to the walls and add texture, worked by slapping the side of the paint brush against the stiff plaster.

At the rear of the room the staircase to the upper floor is found. The trim is in keeping with the general scheme of the room. The flight of steps reaches a broad landing from which a second flight ascends to the upper floor.

WELL ARRANGED

On the opposite side of the house are the dining and kitchen section. The dining-room is roughly eleven by thirteen feet. The walls are tinted with a flat coat of light-colored paint. The table in the centre of the room is lighted by a candelabra while wall brackets are found at each side of the plaster arch leading to the hall.

The dining-room is bright and cheerful, casement windows on two sides permitting the entrance of natural light and air.

The breakfast nook fits in an alcove off the kitchen. It is lighted by a double-hung window, while artificial illumination is provided by a ceiling light.

The kitchen is ten feet by eleven feet in size. Across the back wall is the sink beneath a window with a built-in cupboard on either side. Under one of the cupboards is a space for the electrical refrigerator with which the home is equipped. The plans provide an icing door if natural ice is used for refrigerating purposes.

The work table is handy to the sink while the stove is only a few steps away. A wall bracket over it provides proper lighting as night for work at the kitchen range. A rear hall leads the way from the kitchen to the living-room. Steps from the rear hall also lead down to an outside service entrance while from this lower landing another flight provides access to the basement.

THREE CHAMBERS

Three chambers, a bath and a sewing-room are located on the second floor. The chambers are provided with cross ventilation, as in each case double-hung windows are found in two walls.

The interior trim in each of the rooms is in birch. The walls are plaster, covered with gayly decorated wall paper.

The sewing-room is really an alcove off the hall. It has no door a plaster arch separating it from the central hall. In the ceiling of the hall is a disappearing stair, which may be used when ascending to the attic.

The bathroom contains a linen closet and ample artificial illumination. The bathtub is built in a recess in the wall, and contains a shower with needle spray.

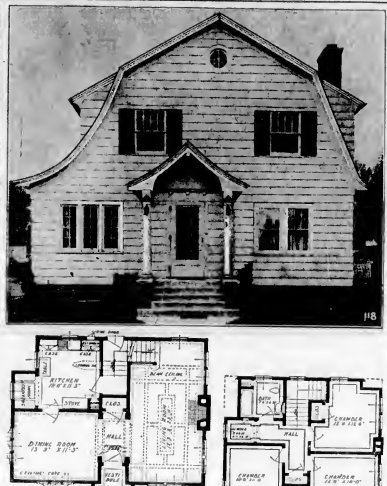
CONCRETE FOOTINGS

The foundation wall and footings are constructed of poured cement. Often brick or concrete blocks are used for footing but many builders consider poured cement to be preferable.

The entire surface of the basement floor is concrete. The floor has been divided off into rooms, each devoted to a particular purpose. At the foot of the stairs is the furnace room with a small fuel room adjacent.

On the other side of a partition is found the laundry and drying room. Built-in tubs and drain make this a handy place to do the work. The drying room is large enough to receive the largest of family washings.

Cosy Dutch Colonial Type Is Distinctive



THE Norwalk is a characteristic home of the Dutch Colonial type, containing six rooms, bath and breakfast nook. Simplicity is the keynote, with no attempt to sacrifice effect for space or material. The accompanying floor plans may be studied with profit by the prospective home builder uncertain of what type of dwelling he wishes to erect.

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One of the worst conditions for painting is the presence of moisture. It is important, in painting the new house, to see that all surfaces are thoroughly dry before attempting to paint them. If paint is applied over a surface containing any appreciable amount of moisture, especially if the moisture be internal, that is, contained in the material painted, just as soon as the interior of the house becomes warmed the water vapor will attempt to escape through the paint film and will eventually cause either blistering or peeling of the film.

SUMMER AND WINTER BEST

Contrary to general opinion, Spring and Fall are not the only nor are they the best seasons in which to do interior painting.

In these seasons there may be considerable humidity in the temperature and the atmosphere is usually moist. Hence Summer and Winter are the two seasons that are usually most suitable for interior painting.

In the Summer the atmosphere in the interior of the house is kept comparatively warm and dry by the heat of the sun and in the Winter we find the same conditions produced by artificial means. In the early Spring or the late Fall, though it may not be apparent, the interior of a house tends to be damper than at other seasons. Water vapor abounds in the atmosphere at these seasons particularly.

HEAT DRAWS OUT MOISTURE

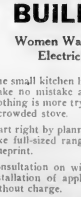
This moisture is considerable in volume, nearly all surfaces, and when paint or varnish is put over it, the heat of the house may "draw out" the moisture, causing the paint film to blister or peel, as it does in the case of paint that has been applied over damp, new plaster or over lumber in new houses.

The two conditions to be avoided during the painting of the interior of new homes are the presence of internal moisture in new building materials and the presence of surface moisture due to water of condensation. The remedies for these conditions are simple and obvious, namely: Do not apply paint over new plaster or lumber until it has had time to dry out thoroughly and do not paint during damp or rainy seasons.

BIG INCREASE IN IMPORTS BY AIR

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Records of Le Bourget airport for 1929 show nearly a seven-fold increase in value of goods imported in France by plane, imports at the field last year were valued at $140,000,000, compared to the 1928 figure of $8,430,000. Exports by air increased from $11,860,000 to $15,500,000 in value.

Included in the imports were heavy gold shipments, dogs and cloth from England; laces and furs from Belgium; fresh cut flowers, paintings and strings for musical instruments from the Netherlands.



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With the varied experience which Mr. Wells has had with the building trades on the Pacific Coast, he places him in a position to understand thoroughly the requirements of the trade. His large knowledge will permit him to give valuable advise to the many patrons of his company.

A Canadian by birth, Mr. Wells first went in the lumbering business at Winnipeg, following which he spent a number of years in other provinces of the Dominion. In 1923 Mr. Wells heard the call of the West and came to Vancouver and later to Victoria, where he now resides.

CELEBRATES FIFTY YEARS OF SERVICE

KITCHENER, Ont., Aug. 22.—Mother Evangeline, Mother Superior of St. Agatha Orphanage for the past ten years, has just celebrated fifty years of service in baby orders. Appropriate ceremonies were held in the church. The mother entered the church wearing a wreath of thorns entwined with myrtle and gold leaves representing fifty years of devotion to holy work. She was born in Rochester, N.Y., as Barbara Kinsky. She spent one year in Milwaukee, Wis. after taking her holy vows and then came to New Germany Parish, near the city, where she had labored thirty-nine years.

THIEVES MARKET GONE

MEXICO City, Aug. 21.—One of this capital's tourist attractions, known to visitors as the "thieves' market," but unknown as such to natives, has gone. The Government condemned the site for the new Supreme Court building.

For more than 200 years the black has been a place of barter and sale. Legend had it that it came into existence as a place for disposal of loot, but of late years it was used as a place of legitimate second-hand trade. Tourists who looked for what the guide book called the "thieves' market" seldom found a native who knew what was wanted.

Czechoslovakia produced nearly 18,500,000 tons of coal last year.

WELL-PLANNED ROOMS HELP IN BUILDING

Plan Your Home to Suit the Comfort and Convenience of the Entire Household

The living-room is undoubtedly used most of all the rooms, and should therefore be designed for the convenience and comfort of the household, be well lighted, large enough for family needs. If the front door opens directly into the living-room there are draughts in the Winter and in a cold climate difficulty in keeping the room heated. A vestibule or storm door may prevent this.

A dining-room is a matter of choice. Certainly this is an expensive luxury for many. This room is used but three times a day, and for the family whose means are limited a dining alcove in the living-room or kitchen will prove a far better scheme, more in keeping with available funds. If a dining-room is used it should be well lighted, look out upon pleasant views, have morning light, and be conveniently disposed with regard to the kitchen.

WORKSHOP OF MISTRESS

The kitchen has received much attention recently due to the fact that household scientists have studied this room from the point of view of its being the workshop of the house mistress. The disposition of the working units, sink, work table, refrigerator, stove may be arranged on an efficiency basis, just as are machine units in a factory.

By careful planning in advance of building an efficient scheme can be devised. There should be provision for carrying food from pantry to range and oven. The sink should be of proper height for the person who uses it. There should be cross ventilation. Stoves and cupboards carry their own recommendations.

SIZE OF BEDROOMS

Bedrooms need not be large. They should have plenty of light and air with space for furniture. This will make necessary careful study of the seating of doors, the placement of heating units. The inclusion of clothes closets is most necessary, particularly in small houses where there is otherwise little space for storage. Bedrooms should not open directly into the living-room or bathroom.

Bathrooms should have windows large enough for light and ventilation.

Stairways are often mismanaged. They should be easy to climb, have plenty of head room, space enough for moving of furniture. Main stairs should not have dangerous winders.

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IN THE RADIO WORLD

Activities of Radio Enthusiasts in Canada, United States and Foreign Lands

SEPTEMBER IS TO HAVE FULL SPORTS LIST

Large Variety of Events to Be Heard Over CBS Network

POPULAR ANNOUNCER TO USE NEW DEVICE

Portable "Mike" to Be Used by Ted Husing in Golf Tourney

September 1930, tops all months in variety of major sports events. Most of these will be broadcast by the Columbia System.

Beginning with the Harmsworth speedboat trophy races on the Detroit River, September 2, and running right through to the opening of the football season, the choicest selection of contests that radio fans have ever had an opportunity to listen to will be put on the air.

On the heels of the Detroit races come the national professional golf finals, which Ted Husing will describe from the Fresh Meadow Country Club links at Flushing, L.I., September 5. Husing will follow the finalists over the hills and hazards of Fresh Meadow with a portable short-wave transmitter strapped to his back. Listeners will get an accurate and vivid stroke-by-stroke description.

On September 12 and 13, Husing will set up his mike in the stadium of the West Side Tennis Club at Forest Hills, L.I., and give a running description of semi-final and final matches of the men's national tennis championship. Before the dust of this struggle settles on the courts he will betake himself, with a corp of staff announcers and engineers, to somewhere off Newport for perhaps the greatest sports classic of 1930—the race for the defence of America's Cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's challenging yacht, Shamrock V.

The yacht race will be followed by another contest that the whole United States and a good part of the rest of the world is eagerly awaiting—Bobby Jones' bid for his fourth major golf championship this year, the United States amateur at the Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia. Husing will describe the final round on September 22, again using the knapsack transmitter.

Wedged in somewhere between these dates will be another new experiment in sports broadcasts. For the first time in radio history listeners will hear the hoofs of the polo ponies carrying Captain Tommy Hitchcock and three other high-goal internationalists in their defence of the historic Westchester Cup against the invading English mallet-wielders at Meadowbrook, L.I. The date for this match has not yet been selected.

Before this exciting programme is well over the big first football games will be under way and the world series baseball championship will claim its place in the radio calendar. Pity the poor sports fan who has no radio set!

Elmore Vincent, KJR tenor, is now feeling as proud as some of the famous people of today and times past. Listeners have started naming babies after Vincent, the Texas Troubador. Why, Vincent is unable to explain. The only thing about it all that he cannot understand is why anyone would want to start a baby off in life with the handicap of his name. To date three babies have been named after the KJR tenor.

Chicago Air Races to Be Broadcast

Flying news will be radio news for the next few days. Station KOMO will have daily reports on the Seattle-Chicago air Derby. NBC has made plans to broadcast the important flying events at Chicago today, Monday and Tuesday.

A radio-equipped plane, piloted by Capt. William Brock, will be used by NBC on the day of the Los Angeles-Chicago Derby. This race is scheduled Wednesday, August 27, though it may start sooner.

POPULAR ANNOUNCER TO BROADCAST GAMES

1930 Junior World Series to Be Carried Over NBC Network Next Thursday

GRAHAM McNAMEE

Graham McNamee, best known of all radio announcers, will be at the microphone for the National Broadcasting Company when the sectional winners of the American Legion's national baseball tournament begin play at Memphis, Tenn., Thursday, August 28, to decide the junior championship of the world.

This understanding was reached last week after McNamee had decided to alter his vacation plans in order to broadcast the 1930 juvenile world's series. The announcer reported last year's series at Louisville, the occasion being the first that such a tourney had been available on a national network.

The teams which will compete at Memphis will have emerged winners from among more than half a million boys, playing in local tournaments in all sections of the United States. The team first winning two games will be adjudged junior champions.

The NBC will broadcast each game played. The broadcasts will begin at 12 30 o'clock, Pacific Standard Time, and each is expected to last about two hours.

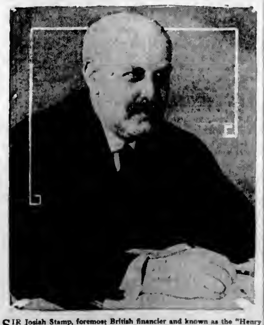
Stations in the West carrying this programme are KGO, Oakland, and KGW, Portland.

FULLER PROGRAMME TO FEATURE JEROME KERN COMPOSITIONS

A medley of Jerome Kern's best-known compositions will be sung by a male quartette in the Fuller programme to be broadcast over a National Broadcasting Company network this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Pacific standard time.

This programme will be heard through the following stations associated with the National Broadcasting Company in the West: KGO, San Francisco and Oakland; KHQ, Spokane; KOMO, Seattle; KGW, Portland, and KECA, Los Angeles.

Gave Anniversary Talk



SIR Josiah Stamp, foremost British financier and known as the "Henry Ford of England," was heard over the National Broadcasting Company, for their public services in the fields of world economic development luncheon of the Academy of Political Science, which was an international tribute to Sir Josiah and Thomas W. Lamont, of J. P. Morgan & Company, for their public services in the fields of wrld economic development and international finance.

VARIED TALKS ON PROGRAMME

Musical Comedies, Tangos and Classics to Be Played Today

SOLOISTS WILL BE ON AIR

New scenic spots in the West will be brought to mind by the Bywaymen during the novel Quiet Road programme over the NBC today from 10 to 11 o'clock.

Jennings Pierce, Art Lindsay, Byron Mills, George Nelson, well-known to dialers as members of the NBC announcing staff, are the Bywaymen. As such they are afforded plenty of opportunity to display vocal accomplishments, for the hour is always punctuated with solos, duets and quartettes by the foursome. Organ solos by Paul Carson interpolate the vocal numbers.

Dr. J. Stanley Durkee will again speak to a nationwide network as the Friendly Hour is broadcast today from 11 to 12 o'clock, Pacific standard time.

A musical programme will surround the religious talk to be delivered by Doctor Durkee. This will be given under the direction of George Shackley and will consist of solo and quartette offierings by John Keating and George O'Brien, tenors; George Miller, baritone, and John Oakley, bass.

NATIONAL SUNDAY FORUM

Dr. Ralph W. Sockman will preside over a nation-wide radio congregation during the National Sunday Forum broadcast over an NBC network today from 12 to 1 o'clock, Pacific standard time.

Sponsored by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America the hour also offers religious music sung by the Oratorio Choristers, under the direction of George Dilworth.

Another of the illuminating Sabbath Reveries hour is to be offered today from 1 to 2 o'clock, Pacific standard time. This religious radio programme will be given by Dr. Charles L. Goodell and a mixed sextette directed by George Shackley.

CATHOLIC HOUR

"On St. Francis" will be the subject of the sermon to be delivered by Rev. Sigmund Cratz, of St. Augustine's Monastery, Pittsburgh, during the Catholic Hour broadcast through NBC from 2 to 3 o'clock.

A chorus known as the Mediaevalists will be heard several times during the course of the hour, singing "We Adore Thee," "I Met the Good Shepherd," "Alleluia," "Auando Corpus Morietur" and "Holy Spirit, Come and Shine." Pauline Cushman, Hazel Arth and Alma Stoll will contribute special vocal offerings.

Sixty minutes of favorite classical selections will be played by the orchestra and sung by a vocalist of note when the Sunday Concert programme comes to listeners from 3 to 4 o'clock.

ENNA JETTICK MELODIES

"Beautiful Lady," from Caryll's delightful musical comedy, "The Pink Lady," and "Lead Kindly Light" are fair examples of what contrasts are offered in the fifteen minutes of Enna Jettick Melodies today from 5 to 4:15 o'clock.

Sung by a mixed quartette to the accompaniment of a special instrumental ensemble of strings, vibraphone and piano, George Dilworth is the director of the period.

A tango from Buenos Aires, a polka from Milano comprise the last half of the fifteen-minute programme of Hacienda Melodies, beginning at 4:15 o'clock.

"Una Notte a Sivigila" and "Serenade D'Antrefois" are to be offered earlier in a programme which calls for the services of a six-piece ensemble of plectrum instruments. Vincenzo Paladino is to officiate as director.

BAND CONCERT

A concert given in the Central Park Mall, New York City, today from 4:30 to 5:15 o'clock, P.S.T., will also be heard.

By popular request on the part of radio listeners, the Atwater Kent programme today, from 5:15 to 5 45 o'clock, P.S.T., will be given over entirely to compositions by Victor Herbert.

VALLEE WILL GIVE LAST CONCERT TOUR

Programme Will Be Given During Fleischmann Hour Next Thursday Over NBC Network

As his final programme, broadcast en route on his tour of the midwest, Rudy Vallee and his Connecticut Yankees are heard in variations on light classics, old favorites and new popular tunes broadcast from Canton, Ohio, and carried by direct wave to station WEAF and heard over KOMO from 4 to 5 o'clock (P.S.T.) on Thursday evening.

Vallee and his band will stop in Canton to make a personal appearance, do their weekly radio programme and then continue their tour, which will land them back in New York on September 3, the day before they will again be heard on the Fleischmann hour.

Special numbers Vallee will present are "Saxarella," a saxophone specialty in which he has a solo part and a potpourri selection, entitled "My Dreams of the U.S.A.," featuring many national melodies.

Vallee has made his own arrangements of the famous "Till I Awake," taken from Amy Woodford-Finden's famous "Four Indian Love Lyrics," and will offer in contrast to this number such new numbers as "Swinging in a Hammock," "By the Old Oak Tree" and "Minor Melody."

NBC Uses Short Wave Set

THE above photograph, taken on the roof of the National Broadcasting Company Building at 711 Fifth Avenue, shows the short wave set-up as it appeared during a recent test of short wave receiving and transmission of messages from the building to airplanes above the city. At left is B. Fredendall at the short wave receiving set. Seated next to him is H. W. Wilson manipulating the controls of the field amplifier. At the right is the seven and a half short wave transmitter with Curt Peterson, veteran NBC announcer, at the microphone.

Radio Broadcastings

Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m; 630k)
7 00 p.m.—Sunday evening concert.
7 35 p.m.—Victoria City Temple studio church service. Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn will deliver Dr. Davies' sermon on "Gossip."

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (410.7m)
6 00 to 6 30 p.m.—British-Israel lecture.
6 00 to 10 00 p.m.—Home Gas Symphony, conducted by Calvin Winter.
10 00 to 11 00 p.m.—Organ recital.
11 00 to 11 30 p.m.—R K O. programme from the Orpheum Theatre.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (247.8m)
10 30 to 11 00 a.m.—Musical programme
11 00 to 12 00 p.m.—Unity Church of Truth
12 30 to 3 10 p.m.—Musical programme.
3 10 to 4.15 p.m.—Foursquare Gospel Lighthouse.
4 10 to 6 15 p.m.—Musical programme.
6 10 to 7.00 p.m.—Watchtower programme.
7.10 to 7 30 p.m.—Maggie Murphy's Home.
7.10 to 7 30 p.m.—Music.
7 30 to 9 00 p.m.—Christ Church.

National Broadcasting Company
11 00 to 12 noon—The Friendly Hour.
12 00 to 1 00 p.m.—National Sunday Forum.
1 00 to 2 00 p.m.—Sabbath Reveries.
2 00 to 3 00 p.m.—Catholic Hour.
3 00 to 4 00 p.m.—Sunday concert.
4 00 to 4 15 p.m.—Enna Jettick Melodies
4 00 to 5 00 p.m.—The Glee Bors
4.20 to 4 30 p.m.—Hacienda Melodies.
4 00 to 6.10 p.m.—Goldman Band Concert.
5 15 to 6 45 p.m.—Atwater Kent programme
6 40 to 6 10 p.m.—In the Time of Roses
6 10 to 6 45 p.m.—Studebaker Champions
6 40 to 7 15 p.m.—Musical Memories
7 10 to 8 00 p.m.—Hotel St. Francis Salon Orchestra
8 00 to 8 10 p.m.—Enna Jettick Melodies.
8 10 to 8 30 p.m.—The Entertainers.
8 35 to 9 00 p.m.—Gaspar Johansen, pianist.
9 00 to 9 30 p.m.—Borden programme
9 30 to 10 00 p.m.—The Reader's Guide.
10 00 to 11 00 p.m.—Concert Jewels.
11.00 to 12 00 m.—The Blue Boys

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (236.1m; 1270k)
2 00 to 6 00 p.m.—C B.S.
10 00 to 11 00 p.m.—Val Valente's Orchestra.
11.00 to 12 00 m.—Organ recital.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (309.1m; 970k)
9 00 a.m.—Musical programme.
9 00 a.m.—Reading the funny papers with Al Schuss.
10 00 a.m.—Classical programme.
1 00 p.m.—Emmanuel Tabernacle.
2 30 p.m.—Music a la Carte.
3 00 p.m.—Lyric Trio
4 00 p.m.—Mary Davis, blues singer
5 00 p.m.—Seattle Park Band concert.
5 30 p.m.—Topics of the Day.
6 00 p.m.—Seattle Park Band concert.
7 00 p.m.—Hometowners Orchestra
8 00 p.m.—Damski's Imperial Grand Orchestra.
9 00 p.m.—Tucker's Everstate Band.
10 00 p.m.—Angelus Ensemble.
11 00 p.m.—Tucker's Everstate Band.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (325.9m; 920k)
9 00 a.m.—Organ recital.
10 00 a.m.—International Bible Students Association.
11 00 a.m.—Vocal recital.
11:10 a.m.—Plymouth Congregational Church
12 10 to 7 15 p.m.—N.B.C.
7.15 p.m.—Garden Patch programme.
7:45 p.m.—Concert Trio.
8 00 p.m.—First Church of Christ, Scientist
9 00 p.m. to 10 00 p.m.—N.B.C.

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (394.8m; 760k)
9 00 to 12 00 a.m.—Studio programme, organ recital.
12 00 to 2 00 p.m.—C B.S.
2 00 to 3 00 p.m.—Musicale.
3 00 to 4 00 p.m.—C B.S.
4.35 to 4 45 p.m.—Studio programme.
4 45 to 6 00 p.m.—C B.S.
5 00 to 6 00 p.m.—Majestic Theatre of the Air
6 00 to 6 30 p.m.—C B.S.
6 30 to 7 00 p.m.—Studio programme.
8 00 to 8 30 p.m.—C B.S.
8 30 to 9 00 p.m.—Nocturne
9 00 to 11.00 p.m.—Val Valente's Orchestra.
11 00 to 12 00 m.—Mike Doty's Orchestra.
12 00 to 1.00 a.m.—Organ recital.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (379.5m; 790k)
8 00 a.m. to 12 00 midnight—N B.C.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m., 630k.)
6 00 p.m.—Closing market quotations
6 10 p.m.—Presenting the "Sunset hour"
7 15 p.m.—"What's Doing in Town"; Garden Bulletin, official weather report, forecast and forest fire summary. West Coast Information Service: time signal.
7.00 p.m.—Thirty-minute programme.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (410.7m.)
11 30 to 12 00 noon—Musical programme.
4 55 to 5 00 p.m.—Canadian Eveready hour.
6 00 to 6.10 p.m.—Slogan contest.
6 10 to 6 00 p.m.—Children's programme.
6 35 to 6 00 p.m.—Announcements.
6 00 to 6 45 p.m.—Studio programme.
7.15 to 7 30 p.m.—Studio programme

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (317 6m.)
11 45 to 12 00 noon—Music
1 00 to 1.10 p.m.—Southard Motors programme
1 15 to 1:00 p.m.—Music.
1 35 to 2 00 p.m.—Dominion Theatre programme and Lorie time
2 00 to 2 30 p.m.—Painless Parker programme.
2 35 to 2 40 p.m.—Music
3 00 to 4 00 p.m.—Musical programme and theatre announcements.
4 00 to 4.45 p.m.—Winifred's programme.
6 00 to 6 10 p.m.—Music
6 45 to 7 00 p.m.—Music
7 00 to 7 15 p.m.—Cecil and Sally.
7 15 to 7 30 p.m.—Music
7.00 to 7:40 p.m.—Laddie Watkis in a musical programme.
7 45 to 8 00 p.m.—Maggie Murphy's Home.
8 00 to 10 00 p.m.—Studio programme.

National Broadcasting Company
10 10 to 10 30 a.m.—Josephine B. Gibson
10 35 to [illegible] a.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air
12 00 to [illegible] p.m.—Denver Municipal Band
1 00 to 2 00 p.m.—The Blue Gays.
3 00 to 3 00 p.m.—Mormon Tabernacle choir and organ
2 30 to 3 10 p.m.—Talk by John M. Ashworth
3 30 to 3.45 p.m.—Phil Cook, the Quaker Man
3 45 to 4 00 p.m.—Roxy and His Gang.
4 00 to 4 30 p.m.—A Half Hour in the Nation's Capital.
4 35 to 5.00 p.m.—Crime Prevention programme
5 00 to 5 30 p.m.—Maytag Orchestra
5 30 to 6 00 p.m.—General Motors Family Party
6 00 to 6 30 p.m.—Stromberg Carlson programme.
6 35 to 7 00 p.m.—Governor Young campaign programme
7 35 to 7 45 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy
7 45 to 8 00 p.m.—Senator Tubbs campaign programme
7 45 to 8 00 p.m.—John and Ned
8 00 to 8 30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Shell Symphonists
8 30 to 9 00 p.m.—Cotton Blossom Minstrels.
9 00 to 9 30 p.m.—Pacific Serenaders
9 00 to 9 30 p.m.—Buron Fitts campaign programme.
10 00 to 10 30 p.m.—Harp Harmony
10 35 to 10 40 p.m.—Yo' Frien' Scotty
10 45 to 11.00 p.m.—Hot Spot of Radio
11 00 to 12 00 m'n—Laughner-Harris Hotel St. Francis dance orchestra.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash (325.9m., 920k.)
2 45 p.m.—NBC
3 00 p.m.—Concert orchestra and vocalists.
3 10 to 5 40 p.m.—NBC
5 45 p.m.—Stock quotations
6 00 to 7 00 p.m.—NBC
7 00 p.m.—Garden Patch programme.
7.30 p.m.—NBC
7 40 p.m.—Tuneful Two.
8 00 to 10 00 p.m.—NBC
10 00 p.m.—News flashes; Tuneful Two.
12 00 m'n—Organ recital.

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (236.1m., 1270k.)
12 00 to 1 45 p.m.—NBC
2 00 to 3 30 p.m.—CBS
3 30 to 3 45 p.m.—Studio programme.
3 45 to 4 45 p.m.—CBS
6 00 to 8 00 p.m.—CBS
12 00 to 2 a.m.—KOL party.

KJR, Seattle, Wash (309.1m., 970k.)
10 15 a.m.—Beauty talk
12 00 noon—World in Review; music.
1 45 p.m.—Glen Eaton, tenor, Marjorie Robillard, piano.
2 00 p.m.—Musical programme.
3 00 p.m.—Stonewall Jackson and Al Schuss
5 15 p.m.—Musical programme
6 15 p.m.—Baron Boys' Air Theatre.
6 00 p.m.—Market reports.
6 00 p.m.—Garden talk, Cecil Solly.
8 00 p.m.—Hometowners Orchestra
7 00 p.m.—Kelpine Twins, Dream Melodies
8 00 p.m.—Whirlwinds Orchestra.
9 00 p.m.—Damski's Neapolitans.
10 00 p.m.—Ken Stuart's Sunshine programme
10 30 p.m.—Whirlwinds Orchestra
11 00 p.m.—Vic Meyers' Club Victor Orchestra.
12.00 m'n—Midnight Cavaliers

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (394.8m., 760k.)
7 00 to 9 00 a.m.—CBS.
10 30 to 1 45 p.m.—CBS
4 30 to 8 00 p.m.—CBS

KGW, Portland, Ore. (483.6m., 620k.)
3 00 to 4 0 p.m.—NBC
4 00 p.m.—Palace Laundry Tea Timers.
5 00 to 6 30 p.m.—NBC
7 00 p.m.—S. S. Georgians programme.
7 30 to 8 00 p.m.—NBC
9 00 p.m.—Cecil and Sally
9 00 p.m.—Dramatic hour
10 00 p.m.—Ben Selling's Boys
11 00 to 12 00 m'n—KGW dance band

WINNIPEG STATION HEARD IN SOUTH

WINNIPEG, Aug 22.—From far-off British Guiana, borne on a humble postcard, comes tribute for Radio Station CJRX, Winnipeg, one of the stations linked in the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's radio programme distribution system, its offerings having been clearly heard at loudspeaker strength by members of an Oxford University expedition engaged in collecting specimens of animal and plant life.

The station, which is one of those which carries the regular weekly programmes of cheerful and good music arranged and executed by the company, is declared by the writer of the card to be the most consistent he has ever heard. Every broadcast for the past year has been properly received, except two, which were marred by local static conditions. Incidentally, no other Canadian station was heard by the party.

BROADCASTING IN BRITAIN

Listeners in England Hear Sponsored Programmes Over French Stations

BOTH LANGUAGES USED

British radio listeners are now hearing commercially sponsored radio presentations despite the fact that there is no advertising done via radio in England, according to E. P. H. James, manager of Sales Promotion Department of the National Broadcasting Company. James has just returned from England, where he made an unofficial survey of broadcasting in Britain.

In England, listeners not only pick up programmes from the eighteen British stations, but also hear programmes from all over Europe. A number of British manufacturers now are presenting sponsored programmes for British listeners but are putting them on the air from studios and transmitters located in France. Radio-Paris, the station located in the Eiffel Tower, is especially popular with air advertisers, James said.

Though the Government does not permit air advertising in England, sponsors are permitted to advertise their foreign origin programmes in the official publications of the British Broadcasting Corporation.

While the selection of programmes offered by the BBC is limited, the quality is good, James observed. When the listener tires of home programmes he can rove over the air waves to France, Germany, Austria and other European countries. James was shown one three-tube set that had picked up programmes from ninety-seven different stations in Europe. Many of the European stations make announcements in two languages, their own and English, he said.

Among the quaint customs of the British broadcasters is that of stopping work about 4 o'clock every afternoon in order to have a cup of tea, he said.

Sings in Five Concerts During Week

PHIL. DEWEY

Phil. Dewey, National Broadcasting Company baritone, the Macy, Indiana, farm boy who "made good," is not only known as the Adonis of radioland but also as one of the hardest-working songsters on the air. Each week he is heard, either as soloist or as a member of a harmony group, with the Chase & Sanborn programme on Sunday nights, on Monday during the General Motors hour, on Thursday and Saturday nights during the Lucky Strike programme, and on Friday nights during the Kodak week end broadcast.

Newsy Bits From Radioland

Swimming lessons for neighbor children occupy most of the Summer waking hours of Little Jane, of the Jolly Bill and Jane programme heard six mornings a week over the NBC network. Jane's father and mother have had a Summer home at the shore since their eleven-year-old daughter has been old enough to enjoy the water. Consequently Jane is an expert swimmer and loves to impart her knowledge to her playmates.

Zaro Agha, the 156-year-old Turk, who was introduced by Robert L. Ripley to the radio audience Monday night through the NBC network, seemed perfectly at home before the microphone and gesticulated as though delivering a political speech.

"Let's have it" is getting to be a byword among radio listeners since "Shorty," of the popular Horse Fly and His Wranglers programmes, have been coming in over KNX, Hollywood. The phrase is Shorty's way of announcing his intention of complying with a request.

Fire in a moving picture studio almost destroyed the part of the plant in which reposed the first "takes" of the new series of "shorts" being made by Horse Fly and His Wranglers. Fortunately the cowboys' films were saved along with the others.

Billy Page, the twelve-year-old NBC star, has added a new trophy to the already imposing array of boyish treasures which fill his room. This time it is a gaily colored silk handkerchief which the youthful actor is going to use as a pillow top, or else frame—he hasn't decided which. Printed on it is a bird's eye view of the Chicago World's Fair of 1893, which Billy, as Billy Smithers, visited in a "Memory Lane" programme. The handkerchief came from Eagle Rock, California.

Stonewall Jackson and Al Schuss, the spirits behind the "Cliff Dwellers" programme every day over KJR from 3 to 3 15, are proclaiming that the difference between themselves and the cliff dwellers is that they use scales and the cliff dwellers use ladders.

FIVE NEW ARTISTS ARE ADDED TO KJR BROADCASTING STAFF

Five new artists have been added to the KJR and Northwest Broadcasting system staff to augment the large staff of artists which is engaged in producing studio programmes over KJR since the inauguration of the "no recordings" policy. Recorded programmes are not being broadcast over KJR from 7 a.m. to 12 o'clock midnight, all programmes originating in the studios and produced by live talent.

Additions to the staff include Lillian Barthelemey, accordionist, and Carrie Engman, violinist; Warren Wright, organist; Billie Landers, blues singer; Stewart Armstrong, basso.

Miss Engman and Miss Barthelemey are producing a special programme of gypsy music on Sundays. Miss Landers is heard in various popular programmes. Wright is working with Ivan Ditmars in playing the new Estey studio organ. Armstrong, one of the leading bassos in the Pacific Northwest, is singing in programmes with Miss Betty Andersen, and is heard in concerts afternoons.

NOVEL GOLF COURSE OWNED BY DIRECTOR

Guy Lombardo Builds Miniature Course Consisting of His Old Musical Instruments

Guy Lombardo, Columbia orchestra director playing at Pavilion Royal, Valley Stream, L.I., and broadcasting over the Columbia Broadcasting System, has built a special miniature golf course on his private bathing beach at Long Beach. It is a sporting and musical course, as all the hazards and holes are composed of discarded musical instruments.

For example, the first hole is easy, because, although it is forty feet, the hole is a snare drum buried in the sand with the sides kicked through. The second hole is played through a WABC microphone and a series of drum sticks arranged in the form of a maze. No. 3 is played into the big round end of a trombone.

An old, broken xylophone, with notes arranged in mounds covering the hole, is the fourth. The fifth is one of the most difficult on the lot, the hole being the wide end of a piccolo.

No. 6 is called "The Trumpet," because the hole is only ten feet long and no clubs are used—the ball must be blown in. Hole No. 7 is called "The Director." A series of mirrors are here for the players to look at as they play the hole, but the mirrors are arranged in such a way that they obstruct illusion and confuse the player.

"The Crooner" is the eighth hole, because it is played through a megaphone, the ball going in the wide end and coming out the small end into another megaphone. The ninth and last hole is made out of one of those old German horns that wind around the body. When the ball goes into the wide part of the horn, it then rolls around and around the tubes until it is brought back to where you start from, and then you begin a new game.

HEAT WAVE SEEMS TOO GREAT FOR DIPLOMATS

Absence of Washington Men Causes Postponement of Conclave of Nations Programme

The unusual scarcity of diplomats in Washington, brought about mainly by the heat wave, also by the absence of many in their home countries, has caused a further postponement of the Conclave of Nations series by the Columbia Broadcasting System until Sunday, September 7.

Until that date musical selections chosen by the ambassadors and ministers who spoke in the series since its beginning early in 1930 will be played by Columbia artists from the New York studios under the direction of Channon Collinge. Nations of the five principal continents already have been honored in the series, and the musical numbers selected to furnish a native background for the programmes cover a world-wide range of composition.

The programmes are heard each Sunday morning, beginning at 11:30 o'clock Pacific standard time.

CRIME TALK WILL BE HEARD NEXT TUESDAY

Dean Archer to Speak—"Crime on the High Seas" Is Chosen as Topic

"Crimes on the High Seas" is the title of the sixth in a series of talks on "Laws That Safeguard Society," which will be given by Dean Gleason L. Archer over stations associated with the N.B.C. network, Tuesday, August 26, at 3:15 p.m., P.S.T.

He will discuss the Federal courts and the state courts, pointing out the distinction between crimes that each type of court is authorised by law to punish. The territorial jurisdiction of the Federal courts will receive particular attention. The term "high seas," at which point the territorial jurisdiction of a nation ends, will be discussed from the angle of history and the needs of the present day. Enforcement of the Volstead Act by the coastguards makes this topic especially timely.

The programme will be broadcast by the following stations associated with the NBC network in the West: KGO, Oakland; KHQ, Spokane, KOMO, Seattle, and KGW Portland.

BENNY WALKER TELLS OF LIFE

NBC Editor Had Interesting Career Before Attracted by Radio Work

ALWAYS LIKED ACTING

"SMILING" BENNY WALKER

"Keep that old smile smiling."

That's Benny Walker's slogan in the NBC studios and outside. "More than 200 pounds of good humor" rightly describes the genial editor of the Woman's Magazine of the Air.

Bennie leaves the message about smiles with his morning audience and hundreds of feminine listeners turn right round and send it back, with heart-warming comments about how much good some of this aerial happiness has radiated.

With thousands of fan letters falling in his mail bag each month, Benny has his joys and his troubles. His eyes laugh and he chortles through an interview.

"Tell everybody my name's Bennie Walker McLaughlin and that I've two of the handsomest kids you ever saw and a great little woman."

Then he goes on:

"And tell them that the funniest thing of all to me is the time I spend being 'Little Bennie'." Picture this 200 pounds imitating a five-year-old! "But I'll do anything—you know I'm all the animals on the programme, too—excepting the canaries."

When he's not doing these things Bennie sings, and announces the morning programmes every day. Aftentimes he's heard at night at various roles with the National Players and during quartette and ensemble singing.

Bennie discovered he liked the stage when he was thirteen years old.

"An enthusiastic father staged benefit entertainments in our home town for everybody from the firemen to the Methodist church. I played in them," Bennie explains. "Meanwhile I learned dad's trade. He was a baker."

But when he grew up, the World War came along and Bennie enlisted from Des Moines, Iowa, where he had gone from his native city, Slatington, Pa. After a bitter period of "KP," Bennie had an opportunity to demonstrate his ability at biscuit baking and immediately he became camp cook.

"And that's where I began to get—stout," he laughs.

After the Armistice Bennie came West and spent several hours in Los Angeles singing with the California Male Quartette at the Mission Play in San Gabriel and appearing as character man in prologues at Sid Grauman's original "Million Dollar Theatre."

Bennie came to NBC when the "Rounders," a recording quintette, was signed.

With the organization of the "Women's Magazine of the Air," Bennie took the editorship . . . "Because I once worked on a newspaper in Des Moines, maybe," he volunteers.

Josephine Bartlett, who is Helen Webster, was the staff. Now Bennie presents a big staff and a galaxy of artists and musicians. At first his magazine was "published" only twice weekly. Now there's an edition every day.

Despite his moving about, Bennie found time for romance, as Mrs. McLaughlin and Jean and Harry attest. Mrs. McLaughlin is a violinist and formerly directed a feminine orchestra in Philadelphia. The junior members of the McLaughlin family also are musical. Jean plays the piano and Bennie is instructing her and Harry in voice.

DR. GOODELL WILL BE HEARD TODAY

Dr. Goodell will compare life to the preparation for playing a game successfully during his talk, which features the Sabbath Reveries programme, to be heard over an N.B.C. network this afternoon at 1 o'clock, P.S.T.

The music, under the direction of George Shackley, will be presented by a mixed chorus, with George Vause at the organ.

This programme, sponsored by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, will be heard through the following Pacific Coast stations associated with the National Broadcasting Company: KGO, Oakland; KOMO, Seattle, and KGW, Portland.

Chief Tecumseh, who is the great grandson of the famous war chief of the Cherokee tribe, was a guest artist at the NBC studios last week, when he passed through San Francisco. He is on a good-will tour from Wenatchee Chamber of Commerce, Washington, and will visit Los Angeles and North Mexico.

MONKS HOLD SECRET OF MOUNTAIN CLIMB

Holy Llamas in Possession of Book Giving Key to Conquest of Great Peak

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The recent unsuccessful siege of mighty Mount Kanchenjunga is the cause of smiles among a group of Holy Llamas who have in their possession, according to a report just received here from an Indian Government source, a sacred book in which an account is given of five paths which make the conquest of the 28,150-foot peak comparatively easy. The cherished volume is said to be preserved by the Buddhist priests in the secret archives of the Talung monastery in Central Sikkim, a region to which few Europeans have penetrated.

The eyes of no European have ever dwelt upon the mysteries of the holy book so far as is known, G. L. Remington, resident manager here of the India State Railways, said in revealing the unusual information which has come to him from an Indian Government bureau. The book, which is called "Nayik," is kept under lock and key in the Talung monastery together with relics of former kings and Holy Llamas and deeply sacred objects.

Permission to visit the region in which the monastery is located in the mountain fastness of Central Sikkim is rarely granted to a European by the Maharajah who rules the country. As to studying the cherished volume of the priests, Mr Remington pointed out that the fact that no European has ever been allowed to do so shows how different, if not impossible, the fulfillment of that desire is.

The Llamas assert, it is reported, that the angry Kanchenjunga—regarded by many mountain climbers as the most difficult peak in the world to conquer—has actually been ascended by native climbers in the past. No dates, names or places of such an exploit, however, are given. The Buddhist priests further say that access to each of the five "easy" paths to the top fo Mount Mancheojunga is gained by a gate. This gates is said to be made of stone and the holy men maintain that each gate has a key, hidden near by.

Although pointing out that the story of the existence of the mysterious sacred volume which is supposed to make conquest of the mountain which has successfully defied the most thorough expeditions of European scientists is probably a mixture of legend and fact, the Indian report contends that there is an excellent likelihood that Llama priests have in their possession knowledge which would prove of great value to European mountain climbers.

At least one fact which leads to serious consideration of the story is that Kanchenjunga literally translated in the Tibetan language means: "The five treasures of the glaciers." These five treasures, the priests say, are the five gates in their story.

Comfort for Radio Speakers At CBS Studios

No more need statesmen swelter in the Washington heat while addressing the radio audience of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

A refrigerating plant has been installed in Columbia's Capital studio to cool the room, which must be kept almost airtight because of street noises, and the problem hitherto faced by public figures of remaining comfortable while delivering microphone addresses, is ended.

"The need of the cooling system was demonstrated on a particularly hot night recently when a dignified Senator, discussing an important national issue, literally removed his shirt," said Harry C. Butcher, director of the Washington office. "This incident determined us to try and make things comfortable for our speakers."

The apparatus washes and cools the air in a manner similar to the cooling plants in the House and Senate chambers and in the executive offices at the White House. Another distinctive feature of Columbia's Washington studio is the corn stalk flooring. The walls are of double thickness with three-inch air spaces, making the studio practically soundproof.

Announcer as Seen Behind the "Mike"

TOM KENNEDY

"Hello, hello, the RKO!" Here is the "Voice of the RKO" as he looks behind the mike. The tenor who since opening and closing signature of the Radio-Keith-Orpheum hour over the National Broadcasting Company network is Tom Kennedy. Internationally famous stage, screen and vaudeville stars appear on this programme each week, but none hold as permanent a place on it as Tom Kennedy. The RKO hour is heard each Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock (P.S.T.) over a network of NBC stations.

GERMAN BEGGARS WELL ORGANIZED

Bourse and Kindred Institutions Open Only to Initiated of Underworld

BERLIN, Aug 22.—To what extent the underworld is organized in the German metropolis may be judged from the Beggars' Bourse and kindred institutions for the brotherhood of alms seekers in the city's slums and elsewhere. The bourse is known only to the initiated and accessible through a small and dingy public house which is the nightly rendezvous for the poorer elements—workingmen and unemployed, with a plentiful sprinkling of shady characters—all drinking beer and talking at once, but always suspiciously sizing up every newcomer.

Ever and anon a beggar arrives and with eel-like agility squirms through the motley crowd to a trapdoor leading to the "sandwich bourse." Here mendicants representing every conceivable type of suffering sell to the hungry unemployed the bread and sandwiches doled out to them during the day by kindhearted housewives. Quotations vary with the seasons, the colder weather seeing a boom in the proverbial crust of bread. Dry bread is quoted at an average of two pfennige, a slice of bread with jam at four pfennige, with liver sausage at six pfennige, with Swiss cheese at twelve pfennige and with ordinary sausage only at eight pfennige.

In the slums of the city's northern section there is also a beggars' livery, doing a thriving business, especially in the early morning hours, the rush becoming so great by 9 a.m. that newcomers have to await their turn in a queue. Here mendicants for a daily fee or a monthly subscription are speedily equipped with all the appurtenances for their calling, ranging from hand organs and lead-dogs for the blind to soleless shoes and crutches.

In an obscure street of the fashionable west end, on the other hand, is located the well-organized beggars' information bureau, which limping specimens of human misery enter to lay aside their crutches, in which the blind suddenly are able to see and the deaf and dumb start swearing. Here the beginners in the fraternity purchase orderly-kept lists of addresses of residents considered easy marks.

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Radio Department

"TERMS SO EASY"

August Home-Furnishings Sale Continues

Many New Arrivals in Women's Fall Coats

A Few Richly Upholstered Chairs

Priced for August Sale Clearance

One Large Wing Chair covered with mohair. It has spring cushion covered on reverse side with attractively-patterned frieze. On sale for **$69.50**

One Mohair-Covered Arm Chair, with reverse side of cushion in Jacquard. A roomy, comfortable chair. On sale for **$57.50**

One Large Wing Chair upholstered with good grade tapestry. Has separate spring-filled cushion. On sale for **$50.00**

One Large Arm Chair covered with fine tapestry. A roomy comfortable chair. On sale for **$45.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Special for Monday
CHESTERFIELD SUITES

Handsome Suite, consisting of Chesterfield, arm chair and wing chair, covered with taupe or blue mohair. Have reversible spring-filled cushions. Large roll arms **$189.00**

Chesterfield, arm chair and wing chair, covered with mulberry, green, blue or taupe mohair. Reversible spring-filled cushions covered with frieze **$198.50**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Natural Bridge
Arch Shoes

Absolute Comfort, Without Loss of Style

New Fall models in Pumps, Ties and Straps. Dull kid, browns and reptilian leathers. Sizes AA to EEE. Combination lasts. A pair

$7.50 to $8.50

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Smart Fall Millinery

or Sports Wear

English Fur-Felt Hats in all the latest shades to match the new Fall coats. Some in smart two-tone effects; others in plain shades of brown, navy, green, grey and black. Each

$7.95

Small Velvet Turbans are the last word in "chic" this Autumn, and are particularly [illegible] black, nigger brown and navy. Each

$5.95

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Corticelli Hosiery
Of Sheerest Chiffon

Full-Fashioned Chiffon Silk Hose with slendo heels and invisibly reinforced wearing parts. In beige clair, couchant, ivory, muscadine, tawny, sun basque, moonlight, nickel, blue fox, gunmetal and black. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Pair

$1.95

Sheer Chiffon Hose with lance heels, particularly flattering to the ankles. In all the newest Corticelli shades. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular $2.50 a pair, for

$2.25

—Hosiery, Main Floor

English All-Wool Suits

For Little Boys

All-Wool Two-Piece Suits with pullover tops and pants with elastic at waist. In shades of saxe, apple green, dawn, beige, scarlet, navy and brown, trimmed with contrasting stitching. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Each

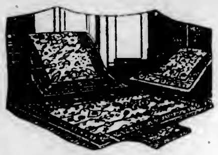
$3.75 to $6.75

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Girls' Smart Frocks

English All-Wool Dresses in one-piece style with bloomers to match. Two-tone or plain effects in saxe, apple green, Lima, scarlet and nutmeg. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Each .... **$5.75** and **$6.75**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor



Scotch Seamless Axminster
RUGS

On Sale Monday

Superior Grade Rugs in plain shades of rose, blue, green or taupe, with band border of deeper tone.

Size 7 ft. 6 in. x 9 ft. On sale, each	**$37.50**
Size 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in. On sale, each	**$55.00**
Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. On sale, each	**$65.00**
Mats to match. Size 27 x 54 inches	**$6.95**
Size 36 x 72 inches	**$8.95**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs

Rugs in all the new designs attractive in coloring.

Rug 6 ft. x 9 ft., each	**$5.55**
Rug 7 ft. 6 in. x 9 ft., each	**$7.65**
Rug 9 ft. x 9 ft., each	**$9.15**
Rug 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in., each	**$10.55**
Rug 9 ft. x 12 ft., each	**$11.75**

—Linoleum, 2nd Floor

An Advance Showing of
Fall Coats

Made of Fine Fabrics and Rich With Fur Trimming

The radically new trend of the mode for Fall and Winter is shown in these distinctive Coats. The materials are of fine soft texture, the furs carefully selected. There are semi-tailored as well as the more dressy styles—and shades include brown, blue, grey, green, navy and black. The best values in Better Grade Coats you have been offered for several years.

$49.75, $69.75 and $85.00

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Children's Novelty Coat Sweaters

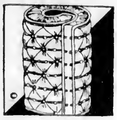
A new shipment of Children's All-Wool Novelty Coat Sweaters with V neck and two pockets. Two-tone effects in lovely shades of saxe, Nile, beige, putty, dawn and cherry. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Each

$4.50

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Mattresses

At Sale Prices



Jute Felt Mattresses in any size. Finished with roll edge. Each, **$5.90**

All-White Felt Mattresses, made in layers and covered with good grade material. Tufted and finished with roll edge. All sizes, **$9.10**

Heavy White Felt Mattresses, covered with striped ticking, made with roll edge and stitched border. Each **$15.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

NAPERY LACE

Excellent Values for Monday

Hand-Made Filet Napery Lace

Cloths, 36 x 36 inches, each	**$1.75** and **$2.95**
Cloths, 45 x 45 inches, each	**$2.50** and **$3.50**
Cloths, 54 x 54 inches, each	**$5.95**
Runners, 36-inch size, each	**89¢**
Runners, 45-inch size, each	**$1.00**
Runners, 54-inch size, each	**$1.25**
Runners, 72-inch size, each	**$1.50**

Ecru Nottingham Napery Lace

Doilies, size 10 x 10 inches, each	**25¢**
Doilies, size 19 x 15 inches, each	**35¢**
Doilies, size 10 x 20 inches, each	**45¢**
Doilies, size 15 x 15 inches, each	**50¢**
Doilies, size 15 x 25 inches, each	**85¢**
Cloths, size 36 x 36 inches, each	**$2.75**
Runners, size 15 x 35 inches, each	**$1.15**
Runners, size 15 x 45 inches, each	**$1.45**
Bedspreads, size 72 x 90 inches, each	**$11.95**
Bedspreads, size 85 x 100 inches, each	**$16.50**

—Staples, Main Floor

Lace Curtains at Sale Prices Monday

Lace Curtains, 36 inches wide by 2½ yards long. Ivory shade. A pair .... **98¢**

Lace Curtains, 35 inches wide by 2½ yards long. Ivory shade. Superior grade. A pair **$1.95**

Lace Curtains, 48 inches wide by 2½ yards long. Very fine. Extra good value. A pair **$2.45**

—Drapery Dept., 2nd Floor

New Arrivals in French Kid Gloves

Washable Kid or Suede Gloves in 4-button length, with pique-sewn seams. Smart and dressy for all occasions. New Fall shades. A pair **$2.95**

Novelty Kid Gloves, featuring the most up-to-date cuff styles, with fancy inserts and plaited effects. Pique-sewn seams. Choice skins, soft and pliable. A pair .... **$3.50** and **$4.50**

—Gloves, Main Floor

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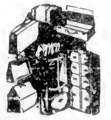
For Students or Teachers Returning to School



Box Trunks of 3-ply veneer. Guaranteed. Two sizes. Priced, according to size at .... **$12.00** and **$12.50**

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Wardrobe Trunks, small steamer size, with hangers and drawers **$25.00**

Wardrobe Trunks, regulation steamer size, with drawers and coat hangers. Priced at **$30.00**

Ladies' Hat Boxes of patent leather, leather bound. Each **$4.95**

Ladies' Hat Boxes of black patent leather, bound with Keratol. 18 inches. Each **$4.25**

—Baggage, Main Floor

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